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"THE MERCHANT OF VENICE"

Shakespearean Play Successfully Presented by Abbot Seniors to Be Repeated for Benefit of Loyalty Endowment Fund

A Shylock portrayed with unusual understanding and artistry and a very charming Portia marked the successful presentation of Shakespeare's "Merchant of Venice" given by the Senior class of Abbot academy in Davis hall on Tuesday evening.

Miss Ruth Holmes in the character of Shylock, showed marked dramatic ability, and whether portraying the money lender animated by cupidity, the father, torn by the loss of his daughter and his precious ducats, the Jew seeking revenge on the Christian whom he believed to have wronged him, or the old man, crushed and broken after the brilliant plea of Portia, she was equally telling.

The stage settings were simple, but effective and the lighting effects and rich costumes contributed to the success of the play. A particularly pretty scene was the one introducing Portia and her waiting maid, Nerissa. Andover girls who took part in the play were Miss Martha Buttrick, Miss Emily Holt, Miss Natalie Bartlett, Miss Nathalie Page and Miss Miriam Sweeney. Miss Elizabeth Flagg was stage manager and Miss Natalie Bartlett, property manager.

The play which was to have been presented on April 17 was postponed until this week because of the illness of the director, Miss Bertha Everett Morgan. Miss Priscilla Potter, who was formerly in charge of this department at Abbot academy lent her valuable assistance and under her direction the play was staged on Tuesday evening. It is hoped that Miss Morgan will be sufficiently recovered to be present when the play will be repeated on next Tuesday evening for the benefit of the Abbot Loyalty Endowment fund.

The cast of characters:

Duke of Venice: Martha Buttrick
Antonio, the Merchant of Venice: Martha Stevens
Balthasar, his friend: Helga Lundin
Salanio: Barbara Cutter

Gratiano: Ernest Holt
Lorenzo, in love with Jessica: Anne Darling
Shylock, a Jew: Ruth Holmes
Tubal, a Jew, his friend: Ethel Goodwin
Launcelot Gobbo, a clown: Francis Holmes
Old Gobbo, father of Launcelot: Estella Throckmorton

Leonardo, servant to Bassanio: Eleanor Noyes
Balthasar, servant to Portia: Miriam Sweeney
Clerk: Natalie Bartlett

Portia, a rich heiress: Emily Van Putten
Nerissa, her waiting-maid: Catherine Miller
Jessica, daughter of Shylock: Natalie Page
Officers: Elizabeth Adams
Eleanor Warren

GIVE KING OF CHORALS

Chorus of Abbot and Phillips Sing Cantata—Brilliant Numbers by Boston Symphony Ensemble

The faculty of Phillips Academy recently passed a motion that all dances at the school be held on Saturday evenings, and that accordingly they terminate at midnight. A member of the faculty, after the concert of last Wednesday, suggested that a similar resolution was in order with regard to future resolutions in order to assure the termination by midnight. It must be confessed the programme was a bit lengthy, though the audience, even the boys of whom a goodly number were present, displayed no particular signs of boredom. We shall make no attempt to criticize the individual numbers. After four years of painstaking care Mr. Vanini has brought his symphony ensemble to a high degree of excellence, and they will be very welcome at, we trust, repeated appearances in Andover in the future. It is surprising that so small a number of players can play so effectively even such heavy music as the Fire-Charm Music from Wagner's "Walkyrie." Especially notable too was the playing of the Andante Cantabile from Tchaikowsky's 5th Symphony. It was regrettable that Mr. Vanini's name should have been inadvertently omitted from the program.

We have never heard Mr. Fox play better than last Wednesday evening. The fine Prelude of Rachmaninoff in B flat major was doubtless new to many in the audience, and whetted one's appetite for repeated hearing. The Spanish composer Albeniz who is much played at the present day is both interesting and original. The Weber-Ganz Perpetual Motion was played with splendid brilliancy.

The Cantata, "Sleepers wake, for night is flying" is one of the finest among the 190 surviving church cantatas of Bach. Unfortunately not the full chorus from Bradford, was present, and consequently the vocal ensemble was rather badly overbalanced by the much more powerful tenors and basses, but under the circumstances we feel it was wiser to present a massive chorus in a somewhat unbalanced manner rather than silence so completely the male voices that so lapidarian a chorus would have become a slumber song instead. Were the young ladies doing their best, were they a bit stage-struck, or had there been too much dancing? As to the soloists, Mr. Kidder

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LOCAL NEWS NOTES

Coach Eugene V. Lovely of Puncard is in Portsmouth, N. H., for a short vacation.

The Jeanette Beauty shop has moved from the parlors on Essex street to Barnard street.

James Dugan of New York, is at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Peter Dugan, Highland road.

J. C. Hescok of 53 Elm street, recently employed at the Andover Steam laundry, has removed to Clinton.

Mr. and Mrs. Nathan C. Hamblin have returned to their home on Chestnut street, after spending a few days on Cape Cod.

Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Chapin, who have been spending the winter in the South have returned to their home on Phillips street.

The local chapter of Eastern Star is holding a bakery sale in J. H. Playdon's store this afternoon from two until five o'clock.

Superintendent of Schools Henry C. Sanborn and Mrs. Sanborn are spending the week at their summer camp in Groton, N. H.

Don't forget your contribution to the rummage sale to be held tomorrow at the Guild house for the benefit of the Andover Guild.

Mrs. Joseph Nuckley has just returned from Nova Scotia where she has been visiting her mother, Mrs. J. Nickerson, who has been seriously ill.

Mrs. F. H. Eaton and Mrs. Bartlett H. Hayes have returned from Washington, D. C., where they attended the National Girl Scout conference.

There was a generous response to the call for books for the Merchant Marine. About 175 volumes, all desirable, have been sent to headquarters in Boston.

Miss Mildred Frost and Miss Edith Wade of this town will take part in a college play to be given during the commencement exercises at Smith college in June.

Ground is being broken this week for the new residence of Harry Wright, which he will erect on Shawheen road, next to the house occupied by Arthur Boutwell.

Miss Harriet Cheney will have charge of a social for the young people of the South church which will take place in the church vestry this evening at 7:45 o'clock.

The Stowe school baseball team has organized for the season and desires games with eighth grade teams in the vicinity. For dates address Ralph Murphy, 23 Pearson street.

Thomas Gorrie has purchased the double house at 34-36 Salem street, formerly owned by Miss Mary E. Carter. Mr. Gorrie expects to occupy his new home about July first.

Misses Orville Holt, Mary Alley, Pauline Sanderson, Ada Pitman and Marion Ladd, students at the Framingham Normal school, are spending a week's vacation at their homes in town.

Warren K. Moorehead, head of the archaeology department at Phillips academy, who has been in Missouri excavating the famous Cahokia mounds since early March has returned to town.

Rev. E. Victor Bigelow and Frank L. Brigham of the South church represented the church at the installation services of Rev. Harry I. Newton, newly elected pastor of the Lawrence street, Congregational church, which took place in Lawrence today.

Word was recently received of the death in Springfield, Vermont, of Mrs. Nellie Haskell, sister of Omar P. Chase and Herbert F. Chase of this town, who passed away on Friday of last week. Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Chase and Omar P. Chase attended the funeral which was held on Monday.

Sam Hibbert, a popular young man of this town, is spending a two weeks leave with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Hibbert of High street. Mr. Hibbert is a musician in the U. S. Navy and has recently returned from a cruise on the Wyoming in Southern waters, touching at Panama Canal and Cuba. This ship is now at New York.

A dance will be held by members of the Andover Grange in the Town hall on Friday evening, May 11. Bradley's orchestra will furnish music for dancing. Tickets may be obtained at the Andover Bookstore or from members of the committee, Miss Emma Holt, chairman; Miss Marion Hill, Miss Esther Boutwell, Miss Ruth Cates. The proceeds will be turned into the Grange treasury.

Mrs. John V. Holt, chairman of the missionary department of the Women's Union of the South church, presided at the afternoon session of the union meeting of the Andover and Woburn branch and alliance of the Women's Home and Foreign Missionary associations held in Wakefield on Thursday. Others from Andover who attended the meeting were Mrs. E. Victor Bigelow, Mrs. George J. Cummings, Mrs. John Ferguson, Mrs. David Shaw, Mrs. P. Bartlett Whittemore, Mrs. John C. Angus, Mrs. Cecilia Derrah, Mrs. Elmer Brown, Miss Alice M. Bell, and Miss Jane Carpenter.

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Coming Events

SATURDAY
10.00 a.m.—6.00 p.m. Guild house. Rummage sale for benefit of Andover Guild.

TUESDAY
7.30 p.m. Davis hall. Abbot seniors present "Merchant of Venice" for benefit of Loyalty Endowment Fund.

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Mrs. Eben A. Baldwin returned on Monday to her home on Main street, after spending the winter in California.

The trustees of Spring Grove cemetery will hold a meeting at the cemetery on Saturday afternoon, May 5, at two o'clock.

The number of books issued for home use at the Memorial Hall Library during April was 3030. At Ballardvale, 553 were borrowed.

Mrs. Sarah Hutchins of Elm street, who fell recently and injured her hip, is reported much improved at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Clare Norton.

Dr. C. W. Scott has purchased from the Estate of Alexander Brown, the house at 24 Florence street. Dr. Scott expects to occupy his new home next fall.

The Ladies' Mission Circle of the Baptist church will hold its May meeting with Miss Jane Caldwell, 127 Elm street, on May 10, at 3 p.m. Officers for the ensuing year will be elected.

Mrs. Arthur Lewis and daughter Marilyn Lewis, and Mrs. Lewis' sister, Miss Irene Cole left Wednesday for Providence, R. I., where they will visit Mrs. Lewis' sister, Mrs. Edward Brown.

Ralph Berry of Maple avenue has secured a position with the Boston Mutual Life Insurance Co., Gleason Building, Lawrence. He will have charge of the Andover and Ballardvale District.

Mrs. George A. Jones of Middleboro, who has just returned from a trip to Miami, Florida, and Havana, Cuba, has been visiting her sisters, Mrs. F. E. Whiting and Miss Florence E. Anderson.

The Circle of Friendship of Christ church will hold a social evening in the parish house on Wednesday, May 16. Cards will be played. Mrs. Osborne Sutton is chairman of the committee of arrangements.

Harry A. Ramsdell and daughter Virginia Ramsdell left Monday for Crawford Notch, N. H., where Mr. Ramsdell is employed. They spent Monday night in Northampton where Miss Minerva Ramsdell is a student at Smith college.

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Miss Marion Marshall of Rockport, is spending the week with Miss Gladys Higgins at her home on Chestnut street.

Miss Ella and Miss Annie Penniman have returned to their home on Main street, after spending the winter in California.

Miss Kate Jenkins, who has been spending the winter in California is at the Phillips Inn for a few days before re-opening her house on Main street.

Under the efficient chairmanship of Mrs. Fred Collins, the Andover Mothers club, P. T. A. made \$45 at their entertainment held in Puncard hall last week.

Mrs. Elmer Davis, Mrs. Harry Gouck and Miss Sarah Hilton past chief of Garfield Temple Pythian Sisters are attending the State convention in Boston this week.

William A. G. Kidd sailed Thursday from East Boston on the Colonial for a trip to Scotland. He will visit in Glasgow and Dundee. He expects to return early in July.

Negotiations are under way for the transfer of the Dean book on Main street, occupied by Frank L. Cole and John H. Soehrenz to Paul Gligis of the Andover Candy Kitchen.

W. A. Stevens has moved his family into his recently purchased house on Summer street. Mr. Meadowcroft of Shawheen village has moved into the house occupied by Mr. Stevens in Allen court.

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ANNUAL MAY BREAKFAST

All Andover Gathers to Enjoy Breakfast Prepared by Members of General William F. Bartlett Woman's Relief Corps—Successful Sale Held

SAILORS IN MINSTRELSY

Knights of Columbus and Catholic Daughters Entertain Large Audience With Songs and Dances

Andover Council, 1078, K. of C., and the Court St. Mofica, C. D. of A., minstrels on board the "Good Ship Casey" entertained a record audience in the Andover Town hall, Friday night. The setting was unique for a minstrel show and represented the deck of a ship from the bridge of which Grand Knight Frank S. McDonald as captain in navy blue and gold braid, directed the activities of his officers and crew. He had an efficient orderly in Arthur Mooney. The decorations were red, white and blue.

The petty officers were Joseph L. Hickey, Michael Byrnes, John L. Dugan, Arthur Slane, and Joseph Donovan, who wore the white uniform of the navy and with their guests, Misses Katherine Hurley, Loretta Finney, May Hurley, Rose Lefevre, and Agnes Dowd occupied the circle. All these young ladies were presented with bouquets.

The sailor boys and the girls who were also guests, completed the chorus, their singing a feature of the show. The young ladies looked very smart in sport skirts and white sweaters.

Eugene Zalla and Robert Winters were a fine pair of premier ends. They arrived by submarine, and while the hall was plunged in darkness, through the light of the "periscope" the two men saw some wonderful sights coming up the Shawheen.

Eugene Zalla in his song "In Our Parlor" received several encores, and Robert Winters was the star of the occasion in his premier end song, "Keep It Under Your Hat," to which he responded four times.

There were many features in the show which made a hit, including "Barney Google" by the juniors, Billy Crowley and Billy McDonald; the dancing of the Sailor's Hornpipe by Walter O'Connell, John Winters, Archie Sullivan, Eddie Doherty, Robert Doyle and Mr. Crawford of North Andover, who took the place of Frank Dyer, unable to appear because of an accident; the specialty, "Bamboo Babies," by Eddie

Those in charge of the tables were: Abbot Academy table—Mrs. Carl Elander, Mrs. Edward Cole, Miss Abbie Burt, Miss Nan Sellars, Miss MacCoubrie, Miss Viola Cashman, Miss Violet Cole, Miss Minnie Allard, Mrs. W. H. Bracewell's table—Mrs. William Faulkner, Miss Ruth May, Miss Jennie Thompson, Mrs. Millie Hammond, Mrs. Leonard Saunders, Mrs. Walter Buxton.

Mrs. Ralph Coleman's table—Mrs. Frank Hatch, Miss Lily Harris, Miss Elsie Livingston, Miss Priscilla Coleman.

Mrs. John Henderson's table—Miss Annie Neas, Mrs. Harry Gouck, Miss Dorothy Trot, Miss Annie Buchanan, Mrs. George Duffon, Miss Lottie Cook, Mrs. Edward Robie.

Mrs. Samuel Wormald's table—Mrs. James Walker, Mrs. James Skes, Miss Ethel Hilton, Miss Rebecca McCollum, Mrs. James Valentine.

Children's table—Mrs. Helen Wright, Miss Doris Gates, Miss Viola Gates, Miss Alice Elliott, Miss Eleanor Flint, Miss Shirley McKee, Miss Charlotte White, Mrs. Howard Conkey.

Aprons—Mrs. W. A. Allen.

Cut pie—Mrs. Susan Wood, Mrs. Fred Collins, Mrs. George Mears, Mrs. Fred Blaisdell.

Silver—Mrs. Alexander Crockett, Miss Belle McIntosh.

Kitchen—Mrs. Elmer Davis, Mrs. Horace Eaton, Mrs. Sarah Smith.

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Friday, May 4
Betty Compton in "The White Flower."
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Saturday, May 5
"Hungry Hearts,"—a Goldwyn Special.
Around the World in Eighteen Days (episode 10).
Comedy.
Pathe News.

Monday, Tuesday, May 7, 8
Mary Pickford in "Little Lord Fauntleroy."
Larry Semon in "The Fall Guy."
Topics of the Day.

Wednesday, May 9
"Toll of the Sea"—in Perfect Natural Colors.
Leather Pushers.
Comedy.
Pathe News.

Thursday, May 10
Mary Miles Minter in "Drums of Fate."
Charles Ray in "R.S.V.P."

Friday, May 11
Gloria Swanson in "My American Wife."
Hoot Gibson in "Kindled Courage."
Aesop's Fables.

Saturday, May 12
Harry Cary in "Kick Back."
Around the World in Eighteen Days (episode 11).
Comedy and Pathe News

"Little Lord Fauntleroy"

The millions of readers of Frances Hodgson Burnett's world-loved novel, "Little Lord Fauntleroy," will be delighted to know that Mary Pickford in reproducing the story for the screen has preserved all its quaintness and charm, and has been especially faithful to the costumes and manners of the period depicted so vividly by the author.

As a vehicle for the lovely Mary, this story is ideal, running as it does the entire gamut of emotional drama, pathos and riotous comedy. It gives her the greatest opportunity she ever has had for the display of that brilliant genius which has endeared her to the hearts of Mr. World and his Wife. In this play, scheduled to open Monday and Tuesday at the Colonial Theatre, she has a chance to let her public see her as a mature woman and also as a boy of seven. In the world of dramatic art what could be more difficult? Not only in the same play but in the same scenes, will this greatest of all screen artists be seen in these two difficult roles.

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The Victorian dresses with their puffed sleeves, bustles and long trains; the thatched houses and the magnificent castle shown in this film tend to make it an achievement in picture land.

And yet who can ever forget the rheumatic old apple-woman, the portly grocer, and the lovable bootblack who were such great cronies of Cedric Errol? The human interest and heart appeal in this picture is said to top anything ever yet translated into celluloid.

Miss Pickford will be seen in a greater variety and a more novel set of costumes in "Little Lord Fauntleroy" than in any play in which she has ever before appeared. The display of women's fashion typical of the Eighties will undoubtedly prove very interesting to style devotees, especially when contrasted with the scanty attire of today.

But most appealing of all will be Mary Pickford the little boy and Mary Pickford the grown-up woman. The presentation of this feature will be more elaborate than anything yet shown at the Colonial.

WILBUR

"Sun Showers," a musical comedy with Harry Delf, is presented by Jules Hurtig and Lew Cantor at the Wilbur Theatre, Boston, where it proved a decided success during its first week. The second week opens Monday next, May 7th. Mr. Delf, who is a comedian and dancer of note, has an important role.

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He has surrounded himself with a large company of comedians, singers and dancers, as well as a chorus of girls who are more than decorative. "Sun Showers" was presented this season at the Astor Theatre, New York, and provides an evening of unalloyed enjoyment. The book of "Sun Showers" is snared from the clouds by Harry Delf, while the music and lyrics were being measured for spring and summer styles by the comedian-star also.

The plot concerns itself with the love affairs of young people, who, being poets and school teachers and such, are all in need of money. The school teachers all go on a strike; some professors are called in for the mass meeting, which thereupon turns into a jolly party, and the strike is happily called off.

The music is in Mr. Delf's best vein. Among the real song hits are "On a Moonlight Night," "He Loves Me," "How Do You Doodle," "Sun Showers," "I'm a Greenwich Village Chambermaid," "Every-one is Beautiful in Someone's Eyes," "Oh, Professor," "Worth While Waiting For," "In the Morning," "Each Little Piece," "Speak Without Any Compunction," "Yours Truly," and others.

Harry Delf will be remembered for his comical doings and extraordinary dancing in Klaw and Erlanger's musical comedy "The Rainbow Girl" at the Colonial a few years ago. Others of prominence in the large company supporting this young comedian-author are Marie Flynn, Bertha Dunn, Florence Morrison, Arthur Burckley, Florence Hope, Ted McNamara, Jerry McGrath, William Schutt, Larry Schloss, Alf Marcus, John Boswell, George Berlow, Charles Floyd, Frank Anderson, Lester Schaff, and others. Frederick Stanhope and Seymour Felix are responsible for the staging of "Sun Showers," and the enlarged orchestra is conducted by Fred Fleming, a Boston man.

PLYMOUTH

"The Monster" now playing at the Plymouth Theatre, Boston, is one of the most talked-of productions of the season. The play is a novelty of the interesting sort, that grows in popularity with each succeeding performance. The stage settings required in the production are most elaborate. The story is written around a haunted house in a remote section of New England, and a mad old surgeon with a thirst for vengeance, provides the chief interest in the play, which develops thrill after thrill, and is well calculated to make the spectators especially the female portion—grip the arms of the seats. It has an abundant supply of comedy, is entertaining and you can see it again and again and still enjoy it.

Mr. Gaites has selected a cast of well-known artists including Howard Lang. Mr. Lang is seen as Dr. Ziska, a characterization that excels everything he has ever attempted. Crane Wilbur, author of the play, is the newspaper reporter; Mlle Suzanne Caubet, niece of the renowned Mme. Sarah Bernhardt, plays Julie Cartier, the French Miss. Frank McCormack, the well-known comedian, is seen as the hobo, and Walter James, noted for his many "heavy" parts both on the screen and stage, is seen as the gigantic Caliban.

HOLLIS

"Lightnin'," the famous comedy now running at the Hollis Street Theatre, Boston, promises to eclipse all previously established theatrical records in that city, just as it did in New York, where it continued on Broadway for over three years. Being well on its way towards the 200th consecutive Boston performance, "Lightnin'" continues to attract and amuse theatregoers in a manner that is positively phenomenal. Many of those who witness this delightful performance return the second and third time, for it is one of those rare plays that can be seen again and again and thoroughly enjoyed. "Lightnin'" is serious and humorous by turn, with a lovable, shiftless old man, pervasively called Lightnin', as its central figure.

Lightnin' is just such a character as would have delighted the soul of Jefferson. He lolls around while his wife runs the little hotel situated on the Nevada-California border. When his conduct is questioned he blows a breath so thoroughly alcoholic that no words are needed. His leisure moments—and that means most of his time—are given up to telling yarns that amuse him and deceive nobody. His sense of humor is as strong as his thirst. Asked if he had been in the Civil War, he replies: "I was the first man to enlist." He indulges in harmless boasting and is tolerated because of his gentle, kindly nature.

Candidates for Reno divorces put Lightnin's little hotel on a paying basis when they learn that one half of it is in Nevada. As the court begins grinding out decrees, a vaudeville actress adds immeasurably to the proceedings. Among other questions she is asked: "When did your husband first show signs of not loving you?" She is thoughtful for a moment, then answers: "About a year before we were married." "Did he ever strike you?" "W—well," she reluctantly admits, "he was a poor judge of distance."

But the chief charm of "Lightnin'" is the simplicity and gentleness of the old man—Lightnin' Bill, his habitual lying, and his assumption of omniscience. He is as transparent as crystal and as lovable as a bad boy. His yarn about driving a swarm of bees across the desert is one of the classics of the theatre. He is one of the quaintest, most sympathetic, most genuinely humorous characters that the stage has seen in years.

Real Estate Transfers

The following real estate transactions were recorded throughout the week at the registry of deeds office:
Donald L. Priest to Harold Roberts.
Jennie S. Haynes to Amos B. Loomer.
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Otto Grow at the South Church

"There is more publicity in three inches of whiskers than in a mile of campaign posters and the only way for a cartoonist to hurt the feelings of a politician is to leave him out," said Franklin P. Collier of The Boston Herald, speaking on "Newspaper Cartooning" before an audience that filled the vestry of the South Church last Friday evening.

With a few telling strokes of the crayon, Mr. Collier made numerous interesting sketches including the one of himself; the girl of twenty years ago, the girl of today, the dapper, Senator Dallinger (sometimes called the cartoonists' friend) Senator Lodge, ex-President Taft, Martin Lomasney, the woman voter as he thought of her ten years ago, the photographer on The Boston Herald, Mrs. Collier showing the effects of burning soft coal, the beginning of Otto Grow, Otto Grow condensed, Uncle Shelly Grow, Mrs. May Grow, and the Grow twins, concluding with a member of the men's club.

In telling of the origin of Otto Grow, Mr. Collier said that he first saw his prototype in a city laborer who was taking part in a preparedness parade in Boston in 1913. As he was about six feet eight or eight feet six in height, it was necessary to abbreviate him for use in a cartoon. When asked by Mr. Brigham, the president of the men's club, why Otto always smoked the same length cigar he replied that he didn't. In response to a similar suggestion from an ex-service man at the Middleton hospital, he promised to shorten the cigar occasionally as a token that he was thinking of him, a promise which he keeps to this day. When the figure of Otto had been introduced to the general public, it was decided to conduct a contest in order to find him a suitable name, and the first mail after the contest was announced with a ten-dollar prize, 150 answers arrived, and before it closed 14,000 names had been suggested. The winner was, according to the speaker's account, a most attractive young woman. "Mike Crobe" was a name suggested by an Andover correspondent and "Tug" was recommended by another who explained that "a tug was an indispensable aid to the drawing of a Collier."

The cartoonist described his day's routine which consists in gathering ideas, arriving at his office about two o'clock, a study of the daily papers, and the production of a sketch usually finished at 8:57 or three minutes before the "dead line." Seldom if ever does he have anything prepared ahead although he said Friday night that his drawing was nearly prepared for Sunday's issue.

At a recent talk given by Mr. Collier in Manchester, N. H., his sketches were sold at auction. One of Otto Grow sold for \$1.85, while one of Volstead brought only 15 cents.

A brief business session of the club was held previous to the entertainment. In the absence of Secretary Frederic G. Moore, J. Allison Morse served as secretary pro tem, and read the records of the previous meeting which were accepted. A committee to nominate officers for the ensuing year was appointed by President Brigham as follows: Edmond E. Hammond, Chester W. Holland, Joseph A. Higginson. As a committee to co-operate with a South church committee preparing for a bazaar, N. C. Hamblin and Edgar G. Folk were appointed. The names of three new members were proposed.

Rev. E. Victor Bigelow, pastor of the church, led in prayer.

The entertainment was one of the most successful of the excellent series of the officers of the club have provided for Andover during the season.

Plan to Hold Exhibition of Antiques

An exhibition of antiques to be held some time either in June or September was discussed at a meeting of the Andover Historical society held at its rooms on Main street on Monday evening, April 23. President Charles E. Abbott appointed as a central committee, with power to increase its members, Miss Alice Jenkins, J. Duke Smith and Mrs. William A. Trow. Several interesting features for such an exhibition were suggested by the members and the committee will take the matter under advisement.

The committee in charge of the entertainment recently given by Mrs. Fitz, "Music of our Forefathers," gave its report and turned over the proceeds to the treasurer. Miss Bell J. Butterfield gave a very interesting talk on the diary of Samuel Sewall published in three volumes. Although he was born in England, his father and grandfather were born in this country, and he himself resided for a great part of his life in the house which he built on Cotton hill in Boston. He was a graduate of Harvard college in the class of 1861 and was for some time custodian of the Harvard college library.

Besides the diary, Mr. Sewall wrote tracts and epigrams. When negro slavery was a common and accepted fact, he had strong anti-slavery sentiments and wrote a tract on the subject. He served on a commission which held session in Salem to try those accused of witchcraft, believing at the time that he was doing right. Later he saw the error of his ways and made public acknowledgment of his mistake.

In the midst of a busy life which included holding court in various towns, even as far away as Kittery, he found time for writing and music, for the care of his land which he owned in outlying districts and for grafting the fruit trees in his own orchard.

Miss Butterfield said that the two things which impressed her most as she read the diary were its piety and the number of deaths recorded. At that period, present day means of combating disease were unknown, smallpox was a terrible scourge, and many met an untimely death. Samuel Sewall's accounts of funerals are minute, with descriptions of the gifts of gloves, scarves, and rings given to the bearers. He himself, not only attended the funerals, but was asked to act as bearer scores and scores of times.

At the close of the program, refreshments of chocolate and cake were served by Mrs. Albert W. Lowe, Mrs. Frank H. Kendall and Mrs. William B. Cheever.

Old Teacher Remembered

Friends and former pupils of the Andover School of Brechin, Scotland, will be glad to know that the teacher, Miss Grimm, to whom a testimonial was recently sent has received the gift and has sent her acknowledgment with thanks.

Miss Grimm has been a teacher of the Andover School for 40 years, and was retired last year. Her pupils have gone to all corners of the globe, but a committee kept in touch with many of them, and in response to a request that they contribute toward a fitting testimonial, a large number responded. Among the pupils were Mr. and Mrs. Alexander Sheriff of this town.

The school is of further interest to Andover as it was founded by Joseph W. Smith about 1850, after one of his visits home to his native land after living here in Andover, and was named the Andover school for this town.



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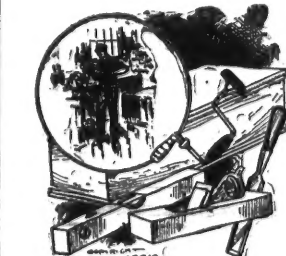
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Rev. Edwin H. Prescott, pastor of the Newburyport Baptist church, who on Sunday observed the 25th anniversary of his ordination to the ministry, was born in St. George, Me., Dec. 26, 1871, and was formerly pastor of the Andover Baptist church.

Mr. Prescott was educated in the public schools and then went to the New Hampton Literary Institute at New Hampton, N. H., and Cobb Divinity school and Bates college, graduating from the latter institution in 1899. While still a student at college he was ordained to the ministry April 28, 1898, at the Jefferson street Free Baptist church in Biddeford, Me., and served as its pastor.

His next pastorate was at Esterville, Ia., where he served the First Baptist Free Will church. Coming back to New England he became pastor of the Baptist church at Rangely, Me., which in the summer season had one of the largest congregations of any church in Maine. While in Rangely he met the lady who was to become his wife, Miss Helen W. Haines, and they were married in 1903.

His next pastorate was in North Berwick, Me. While in Rangely, and North Berwick, Mr. Prescott served as superintendent of schools as well as looking after his pastoral duties.

After five years in North Berwick he became pastor of the Baptist church in Lacombe, N. H., one of the largest and most influential in the state. He was in demand as a lecturer in many parts of the state while in Lacombe.

Remaining there five years, Mr. Prescott came to Andover and had been doing a successful work for three years when called to the pastorate of the Newburyport church in December, 1920.

Junior Helpers to Be Guests of Cinderella

Representatives from six of the children's clubs at the International Institute in Lawrence will give a Pageant, "Cinderella in Flower Land" next Wednesday, May 9, at 8 p.m., in the Polish National Hall, Broadway street, Lawrence, under the direction of Miss Florence Jay. Thirty-three children, ranging from 10 to 14 years will take part dressed in costumes to represent the flowers.

The purpose of the pageant is to show what the children can do; and any money raised above expenses will go back to the clubs for such activities as summer camps, etc.

The members of the cast have invited as their guests, the Junior Helpers—a group of twenty-eight girls in the South Church, organized by Mrs. George M. R. Holmes, who last year were hostesses to the Institute club at a picnic.

Music will be furnished by Joseph Consentino's orchestra. Tickets at twenty-five cents, reserved seats thirty-five, may be obtained from Mrs. H. G. Francke.

Benefit Entertainment

A benefit entertainment was put on in G. A. R. hall last Friday evening under the direction of Walter L. Raymond camp, Sons of Veterans, for one of their number. About 200 tickets were sold, but on account of many other attractions in town the audience was not large. The following entertainment was given: Elliott Sisters, dance; Idylon Elliott, song; Curtis Brothers, songs and dance; Mabel Walker, dance and reading; Doris Champion, piano solo; Frances Flucane, solo; Elizabeth Smith, solo; Charles Murphy, banjo solo; John Hughes, violin solo.

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Doherty, "Mr. Gallagher and Mr. Shean," by John Mahoney and William McCarthy. Miss Dowd, Miss Finnerty and Michael Byrnes and Joseph Donovan were the soloists and got a warm welcome.

The jokes and hits were on local people and chiefly members of the organization. They were timely and from the applause evidently hit the mark. The show was directed and staged by John Alexander, who deserves much credit. Miss Frances McAvoy was pianist and played the accompaniments in a very efficient manner. There was dancing after the performance and Millington's orchestra provided excellent music. The program:

Overture—Millington's Orchestra
Opening Chorus—Sailing, Carolina in the Morning, Carry Me Back to My Carolina Home, We Love the Stormy Sea and entrance of the end men
End Song—Seven or Eleven Walter O'Connor
Crazy Archie Sullivan
Tenor Solo—Collen O'Mine Michael Byrnes
End Song—You Tell Her, I Stutter John Winters

Specialty—Barney Google Billy Crowley, Jr., Billy McDonald
Song—You've Got to See Mama End Man Crawford
Soprano Solo—She's Only a Baby Miss Agnes Dowd
End Song—Keep It Under Your Hat Premier Winter

Specialty—Where the Bamboo Bables Grow Eddie Doherty
Song—I'm Just a Little Blue for You Joseph Donovan
Specialty—Mr. Gallagher and Mr. Shean John O'Mahoney, Bill McCarthy

Soprano Solo—You Know You Belong to Somebody Else Miss Loretta Finnerty
End Song—Way Down Yonder in New Orleans Bob Doyle
End Song—In Our Parlor Premier Zella

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Jack Tars—F. Nelligan, M. Lynch, Joe Dwyer, H. Dolan, G. Reilly, J. Sullivan, G. Darby, F. Kelley, J. Daly, C. Hughes, J. Doyle, W. Dolan, W. Stewart, L. Ronan, J. Welch, A. Mooney, J. Darby, T. Fallon, J. Nelligan, P. Mooney and T. Darby.

The committee included: William Harnedy, chairman; Frank S. McDonald, James F. Welch, Joseph W. McNally, Frank McBride, and William Tammany.

Natural History Society Plans Bird Walk Tomorrow

The members of the Natural History society will take their annual excursion through the game sanctuary, tomorrow afternoon, leaving the Punchard school at 4:30 o'clock. On Wednesday, May 9, there will be an early morning hike through the woods, starting at 5 o'clock. Friends of the society are invited to these walks.

The next meeting of the society will be held on May 15, in the Punchard lecture room, when E. T. Brewster will give a talk on "Frogs and Other Amphibia."

Route of Outfall Sewer Is a Matter of Controversy

At a conference between members of the Andover Board of Public Works and the Lawrence City Council held last Friday morning, the question was raised as to whether the city of Lawrence would contribute \$35,000 to the expense of constructing the new outfall sewer so that it might be built over a route and in such a manner as to be of the greatest benefit to the city of Lawrence. The Lawrence city officials expressed themselves as unwilling to lend any financial aid but have taken the matter under advisement.

Chairman Philip L. Hardy and Superintendent Frank L. Cole of the Board of Public Works stated that they had two proposals, an upper line sewer which would run from the Lawrence city officials' express themselves as unwilling to lend any financial aid but have taken the matter under advisement.

The first plan would be the least expensive to Andover and the town would not expect Lawrence to share in the construction cost, but the benefits to the city would be small since only about 100 acres could be drained. The second plan would cost nearly \$35,000 more than the upper line sewer, but 200 additional acres of Lawrence land would be drained, including property owned by the Essex company and Edward F. Greene of North Andover. The first proposition would be just as good as the second to Andover, and the town officials feel that if Lawrence wants the lower line sewer, it should pay the extra cost, particularly since the town has not the necessary money available for its construction.

Among those at the conference were: P. L. Hardy, chairman of the Andover board of public works; F. L. Cole, superintendent; G. A. Sampson of the engineering firm of Weston and Sampson, consulting engineers retained by the town department; R. A. Hale, chief engineer of the Essex company, and Roland A. Prescott, cashier of the Essex company; and City Engineer Robert W. Postman; Edward F. Greene and his counsel, Associate Justice F. N. Chandler, Mayor Mahoney of Lawrence and Alderman Carr, McNulty and Flanagan.

Mr. Sampson, who outlined the proposals, stated that it had been estimated that the cost of the proposal for an entrance near the Pacific mill would be \$64,986, while the other would be \$98,950. The cost of the respective constructions per foot would be \$17 and \$19.75.

He said that the sum of \$4,000 would, in his opinion, provide for future maintenance. It was stated that since the more expensive construction would provide the greatest benefit for the city it is felt by the town officials that Lawrence should contribute approximately \$35,000 towards the work.

Mayor Mahoney stated that Lawrence desired to be a good neighbor with all surrounding communities. He said it was ready and willing to aid in any public improvement, but did not propose to do other than what is equitable.

The mayor said that he had been given to understand, possibly through a misunderstanding, that there would be no expense to the city in the construction of the sewer. He said he believed that Lawrence was to receive a benefit in turn for its action in not opposing the laying of the mains through the city.

Alderman Carr, McNulty and Flanagan each expressed themselves disappointed at the proposal that Lawrence was to receive no great benefit without a considerable expense.

Mr. Hale of the Essex company stated that there is considerable vacant land in the vicinity of the Cold Springs. He predicted

a development in the event of sewerage facilities.

City Engineer Priestman admitted under a question from Engineer Sampson that Lawrence would be unable to care for sewage in some of the low-land sections without a pumping station, but added that such a possibility might not be presented for many years. The proposal under which the city would be asked to contribute with the town would, it was said, eliminate the necessity of a pumping station in the city.

Mr. Hardy stated that the board was limited in its expenditure by its appropriation. He said it could not provide for construction of the more expensive undertaking.

Mayor Mahoney intimated that Lawrence with its present borrowing capacity, could not meet the expenses at present without going to the legislature for permission to borrow the money. He suggested that the same course was open to the Andover officials.

Mr. Hardy requested the council not to delay their action any longer than possible, saying that it was hoped to get the work started not later than June 1. Mayor Mahoney said there was no intention on the part of the council to unnecessarily delay the matter.

Successful Bridge Tournament

The first afternoon of the bridge tournament held at the November clubhouse was a social and financial success. Cards were played for two hours after which refreshments were served.

The proceeds of the tournament will be used for the redecoration of the clubhouse, and the committee announced that more than \$400 was already in hand for that purpose.

The tournament will continue next Tuesday afternoon, May 8, and subscribers who played this week and are unable to play next week may turn in their scores to be credited to their substitutes. Prizes will be awarded to the winners.

The members of the committee in charge of the tournament are Mrs. Katharine M. Pinckney, chairman, Mrs. Joseph Rand, Mrs. W. Dudley Yates, Mrs. Gilbert Francke, Mrs. Andrew W. Laurie, Mrs. Fred H. Eaton, Mrs. Addison B. LeBoutillier, Mrs. George B. French, Miss Margaret Curran and Miss Irene Odlin.

Among those present were Miss Frances E. Aldred, Miss Grace P. S. Clemons, Mrs. Henry F. Perkins, Mrs. Joseph H. Higgins, Mrs. Harold Austin, Mrs. Ralph E. Hadley, Mrs. Harry Sellers, Miss Bertha Higgins, Miss Grace Higgins, Mrs. Harry Wadman, Mrs. David Shaw, Mrs. Frederic G. Moore, Mrs. William Higgins, Mrs. Bartlett H. Hayes, Mrs. C. W. Henry, Mrs. William Kelly, Mrs. Alexander Livingston, Mrs. Alexander Morrison, Mrs. P. Bartlett Whittemore, Miss Anna W. Kahn, Mrs. Andrew Lawrie, Mrs. Fred H. Eaton, Mrs. George L. Selden, Miss Katherine Selden, Mrs. Gerard Chapin, Mrs. W. Dudley Yates, Mrs. Frank M. Benton, Miss C. Madeleine Hewes, Mrs. F. Homer Foster, Mrs. Joseph C. Kimball, Miss Kimball, Mrs. Philip P. Cole, Mrs. Frank Hardy, Mrs. Benjamin R. Biley, Mrs. Matthew W. Colquhoun, Mrs. J. Edgar Holt, Miss Alice Jenkins, Mrs. Arthur Bliss, Jr., Mrs. William Jaquith, Mrs. Philip Ripley, Mrs. T. Dennie Thomson, Mrs. Eben A. Baldwin, Miss Mary L. Smith, Mrs. Harry Wright, Mrs. F. W. H. Stott, Mrs. Katharine M. Pinckney, Mrs. Stanley A. Pratt, Mrs. Addison B. LeBoutillier, Mrs. Samuel Bailey, Jr., Mrs. Henry W. Barnard, Mrs. Charles E. Abbott, Mrs. Daniel L. Whipple, Mrs. George B. Frost, Mrs. J. J. Mahoney, Mrs. Mitchell Johnson, Mrs. John L. Phillips, Miss Mary Bancroft, Mrs. James W. Williams, Miss F. B. Jenks, Mrs. Albert Moore, Mrs. Leonard Little, Mrs. Dana W. Clark, Mrs. Amy Briggs, Mrs. Thaxter Eaton, Mrs. Ralph Lawrence, Mrs. G. T. Mercer, Miss Rose B. Torrey, Miss Mabel Carter, Miss Mary W. Bell, Miss Alice L. Bell, Miss Mary Richards, Mrs. Joseph A. Rand, Mrs. Burton S. Flagg, Mrs. John C. Angus, Mrs. Frank L. Brigham, Mrs. Douglas Donald, Miss Muriel Johnson, Miss Irene Odlin, Miss Margaret Curran, Mrs. Gilbert Francke, Mrs. Percy J. Look, Mrs. Frederick M. Boyce, Mrs. John L. tiers, Mrs. Harlan C. Newell, Mrs. George French, Mrs. Ashley Watson, Mrs. George Hussey, Mrs. Joseph Walworth, Mrs. Osborne Sutton, Mlle. Flaubert, Mrs. Walter Howe, Mrs. Craig, Mrs. W. D. Walker, Mrs. Charles Gabelier, Mrs. Moses Pendleton, Mrs. Arthur Morrison, Mrs. Donald Carter, Mrs. C. Borden Robbins, Mrs. Newman Matthews, Mrs. Andrew W. Lawrie, Mrs. Theron H. Lane, Miss Jane MacGregor Aiken of Norwich, Conn., Mrs. Flint Parker and Mrs. George H. LaFontaine of North Andover, and Mrs. Victor Reed, Mrs. Fred McAllister and Mrs. Lang of Lawrence.

Arbor Day Exercises at Stowe School

Exercises in observance of Arbor day consisting of a program of readings and music and the planting of a tree were held last Friday afternoon at the Stowe school. Prizes were awarded in the bird-house contest.

The program:

Song—The Garden by the Sea School
Reading of Arbor Day Proclamation Miss Putnam
Essay—Protection of Birds and Rare Plants Olive Warden
Recitation—When the Green Gills Back in the Trees Edward Hoelcher

Exercise—Value of Trees Katherine Milne, Virginia Remington, Sylvia Hurwitt, Doris Manning.
Essay—Selections from "The American Forests" John Meir

Recitation—Plant a Tree Elmer Grover
Award of Prizes—Bird-house Contest.
Planting of a Purple Birch, by scholars from Eighth Grade
Arbor Day Song School

The members of the committee of arrangements were Miss Anna E. Chase, chairman, Miss Nancy Hild, William Bradford, Thomas Walker, and Dorothy Gerlich.

Valuable Trees.

The trees of Borneo, the Philippines and New Guinea, it is said, are valuable enough to pay the allied debt. In these islands is the exquisite camagor, whose wood is yellow and black, like tortoise-shell. There is the molave, which resists the sea slug and white ants, and the beautiful red and yellow narra (mahogany), the red assuming a deep lustrous wine color when it is immersed in salt water. There is laun, which makes huge masts, and dungan, which is the hardest wood known. There is baleta, a sort of fig which grows around other trees, killing them, and feeding on the dead trunk until it is entirely consumed.

Made General Manager at Boston University

Lee C. Hascall, who recently made his home on Holt road, in this town, has been appointed general manager at Boston university, a new office created by the board of trustees of which he has been a member for thirteen years. The new office will take over the management of the business interests of the university thus leaving President L. M. Murlin free to devote his attention more strictly to educational matters. The rapid growth of the university during the past ten years has made such action necessary. A reorganization committee, which has been studying the situation for several months recommended the creation of the new office.

Mr. Hascall, who is a graduate of the college of liberal arts, has been for eight years a member of the executive committee of the corporation. It was largely due to his interest in business education that the College of Business Administration was organized in 1913 and the College of Secretarial Science in 1919. Since the organization of these departments he has been chairman of the standing committee of the trustees, dealing directly with their interests. He is president of the Fraternity Publishing company and for the last 15 years publisher and eastern manager of George L. Shuman & Co.

Composition by Local Composer is Enthusiastically Received

"The String Quartet" composed by Prof. Walter Edward Howe, director of music at Abbot academy, was recently performed in public for the first time by the Baltimore String quartet and was enthusiastically received. Mr. Howe has also prepared the program for the Worcester Musical festival to be given on May 9, 10, and 11.

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10.30. Morning worship. Sermon by the minister. Reception of members and communion.
12.00. Church school.
6.30. Christian Endeavor.
7.45. Monday. Monthly meeting of The King's Daughters. Social meeting.
7.45. Wednesday. Midweek service with study of the great Speech of Stephen at his martyrdom.

FREE CHURCH
Elm Street
Congregational. Organized 1840
Rev. Arthur S. Wheelock, Pastor

10.30. Worship and sermon followed by reception of members and celebration of the Lord's Supper.
12.00. Church school.
6.30. Christian Endeavor.
2.00 until 10.00. Wednesday. Missionary exhibit with pageants and moving pictures at 8.00.
7.15 and 8.00. Thursday. Rehearsals of the choir.
5.00. Friday. Annual meeting of the Foreign Missionary Department at the home of Mrs. James Gillespie, Jr., 92 Elm street.

WEST CHURCH
Congregational. Organized 1826
Rev. Newman Matthews, Pastor

10.30. Public worship with sermon and the Communion of the Lord's Supper.
12.00. Sunday School.
7.00. C. E. meeting at home of Mrs. George M. Carter, led by James R. Carter.
7.45. Wednesday. Meeting for prayer and conference.
7.45. Friday. Choir rehearsal under the direction of Mrs. Wright.

CHRIST CHURCH
Central Street
Episcopal. Organized 1835
Rev. C. W. Henry, Rector

9.00. Holy Communion.
10.30. Morning prayer and sermon.
12.00. Church school.
7.00. Monday. St. Margaret's Guild.
4.00. Wednesday. St. Catherine's Guild.
7.45. Wednesday. Circle of Friendship.
9.00. Thursday. Holy Communion.
7.30. Thursday. Entertainment by St. Catherine's Guild.
7.00 and 7.30. Friday. Choir: boys and men.

PHILLIPS ACADEMY CHAPEL
"On the Hill"
9.30. Sunday school at Peabody House.
10.30. Morning worship with sermon by Rev. Charles H. Elmore of Englewood, N. J.
5.00. Organ music by Mr. Plattecher.
5.15. Vesper service with address by Rev. Mr. Elmore.

BAPTIST CHURCH
Essex Street
Organized 1833
Rev. C. Norman Bartlett

10.30. Morning worship with preaching by the pastor on "The Heart of the Church."
12.00. Bible school.
6.30. Christian Endeavor.
7.15. Evening service.
7.45. Wednesday. Prayer meeting.

ST. AUGUSTINE'S CHURCH
Essex Street
Roman Catholic. Organized 1850
Rev. Fr. Nugent, Pastor

First Sunday of month, Communion day for Sacred Heart Sodality.
Second Sunday of month, Communion day for Knights of Good Counsel.
Third Sunday of month, Communion day for Holy Name Society.
Fourth Sunday of month, Communion day for Children of Mary.
Holy Name Society meets fourth Monday evening of each month.
Sacred Heart Sodality meets first Friday evening of each month.
Knights of Good Counsel meet second Wednesday evening of each month.
Promoters of Propagation of the Faith, second Thursday evening of each month.
Altar boys meet first Monday evening of each month.

NORTH PARISH CHURCH
North Andover Centre
Unitarian. Organized 1645
Rev. E. J. Prescott, Minister

10.30. Morning worship with preaching by the pastor on "The Heart of the Church."
12.00. Bible school.
6.30. Christian Endeavor.
7.15. Evening service.
7.45. Wednesday. Prayer meeting.

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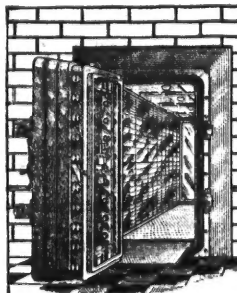
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Corrections

A front page editorial in one of the Lawrence dailies on the question of changing the line of Andover's trunk line sewer so that it may more effectively serve a larger portion of Lawrence territory needs some corrections of fact if the proposition is to be truly stated. One gets the idea from reading the above referred-to remarks, that Lawrence is planning to block the sewer completely unless Andover puts it just where the Lawrence City Council wants it to be put, and pays the entire cost of whatever changes this plan may make necessary.

What actually has happened so far is that the State Board of Health, in approving a plan to build what is called an "upper line" sewer, has approved the present route of the sewer and its design. Furthermore the town of Andover has been given permission to borrow a certain stated amount over and above its limit of indebtedness for the construction of a sewer according to the plan which the state board has approved. Always desirous of acting in a friendly manner toward its neighbors, Andover readily agreed to allow Lawrence to enter the sewer where such entrance was feasible, after the Lawrence City Council had requested such cooperation on the part of the town. Presumably a nominal rental fee per acre would be charged for whatever acreage Lawrence drained into Andover's trunk line.

The existing route for the sewer was chosen because it provided the shortest and most economical route which would at the same time allow the sewer to function properly. A short while ago, the Lawrence City Engineer asked the Andover board to furnish him with an estimate of the approximate cost of constructing a sewer over a different route than that originally planned, a route which would follow approximately the line of the Shaw-shen River and which would permit the City of Lawrence to drain some 300 acres into the sewer instead of the 100 which the present plan will allow them to drain. The conference last Friday morning came as a result of the answer

to that request, namely that such a route, necessitating as it does the traversing of a considerable section of swamp and the laying of 1200 additional feet of pipe, would add \$35,000 to the original cost of the sewer. Naturally enough, Lawrence would be expected to defray the additional expense necessary to make the sewer line more suitable for her needs, since the change is neither beneficial nor otherwise to Andover.

If Andover is to build the sewer over the route requested by her neighbor, it means that the town must submit the new plan to the State Board of Public Health for its approval with a possibility of a slight delay, although which-ever plan is adopted, work can be started promptly on the Andover section of the sewer. The local Board of Public Works, rightly enough, is not in favor of any delay which will result in holding the sewer over until next year, and is therefore expecting Lawrence to make a prompt decision on the question of additional expenditure for the new route.

The real truth of the matter is, all Lawrence editorials to the contrary notwithstanding, that Lawrence is not really granting the town permission to travel through its lands at all. The question of the course which the sewer will follow is a matter entirely in the hands of the State Board of Health and the Legislature, whether that route go through any other town or city or not, since proper disposal of the town's sewage is practically demanded by the State Board and that board sees in the present plan the best means of securing that disposal. There is no need for a lower-line sewer at the present time, although the construction of a sewer along the lower route would greatly increase the value of the property through which it passed.

If Lawrence feels that it needs drainage along the "lower-line" route bad enough to spend \$35,000 for the line in route, Andover stands ready to cooperate with her neighboring city to the extent of revising her plans for the construction. The suggestion that Lawrence would force Andover to bear the entire cost of such revision of plans is nothing short of absurd.

Tyer Rubber Co. to Make Footwear

The Tyer Rubber company, now employing about 350 persons, has announced that on or about May 14, the company will begin to manufacture rubber footwear, giving employment to several hundred new operatives. The company discontinued the manufacture of auto tires last December, temporarily, and may discontinue their manufacture permanently. Only a small number of those employed in the plant were engaged in the manufacture of tires, however, as by far the larger number are employed manufacturing various sorts of rubber goods and sundries. Since the discontinuance of the manufacture, those who were employed in this branch have been absorbed by the other departments.

A complete line of rubber footwear, including rubbers, overshoes, and gaiters will be produced in place of the discontinued line. When production of footwear is begun, the company plans to expand and expects to employ 40 or 50 more girls and several men within the next few months. Within a year, it is expected that between 200 and 300 additional girls and perhaps 100 more men, will be employed, as the demand for rubber footwear is said to exceed the supply and there is a large market for such goods.

The change from manufacturing tires to rubber footwear has necessitated very little change in the plant equipment as most of the machinery used in tire manufacture is adaptable to the new line. Much of the work of making rubber footwear is done by girls and is principally hand work. The employees are of uniformly high grade and are well paid on a piece work basis.

Town Committees Named

Alfred L. Ripley, moderator, has named committees for the year. Attorney Joseph L. Burns has resigned from the street lighting committee and James C. Souter has been appointed in his place.

The committees appointed are as follows: Street lighting: Walter H. Coleman, Fred G. Cheney, Henry J. Gardner, James C. Souter, Frederic G. Moore.

Finance committee: George Abbot, Henry A. Bodwell, Edward V. French, Chester W. Holland, George H. Winslow, John C. Angus and George L. Averill.

New Police Ambulance Arrives

The new combination truck and ambulance for the use of the police department, the purchase of which was authorized at the last town meeting, has arrived and is already in use. The purchase was made through A. A. Rosch of the Ford Sales agency, Musgrove block.

The new machine is a Ford and has a special combination and ambulance body, with vestibule and a closed top. It is fully equipped with auto appliances including clock, bumper, lights, etc.

The arrangement of the seats in the body is such that they may be turned up close to the sides leaving the entire floor space free. An adjustment of the tail board adds an extra foot to the length of the body.

The machine will be in charge of the police department and will be driven by members of the force. Chief of Police Frank M. Smith is planning to equip the ambulance with a pneumatic mattress and a first-aid cabinet.

St. Catherine's Guild to Hold Sale

Next Thursday evening May 10, at 7:45 in the parish-house of Christ church, St. Catherine's Guild holds its annual sale and entertainment. Don't fail to see the Teacup Queen, the Lord High Chancellor and the Jailer, all of whom will be present. Mrs. Ashton brings her violin, Mrs. Mahoney will sing, and Mrs. Paige will accompany both. This little society greatly appreciates its privilege in being able to offer such fine music.

There will be for sale the choicest collection of tropical birds ever seen outside the aviary of the London Zoo. Nothing like them has been seen in Andover. With each, when sold, goes a guarantee that it will not use bad words. Their plumage, grace and daintiness will add beauty to any home.

In addition to dusters, holders and useful articles of artistic color and design, candy will abound. Don't fail to see the cross-stitched napkin-rings, no two alike. There are only a dozen of these, so make an early choice. Tickets, at twenty cents, admitting to play and entertainment, may be bought from members of the Guild, or admission may be paid at the door.

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Luncheon of Woman's Guild

The annual luncheon and business meeting of the Woman's Guild of Christ Church was held yesterday in the parish house. A silver vase of glowing yellow forsythia on the center table with baskets of the same flower on the long tables at either side and part-colored streamers of delicate spring colors were the appropriate May-day decorations arranged by Miss Alice Jenkins.

A delicious luncheon of chicken patties, salads, rolls, coffee and fancy pies was served by a committee composed of Mrs. C. W. Henry, chairman; Mrs. Thomas Platt, Mrs. Cyrus Gates, Mrs. Joseph A. Rand and Miss Brundrett.

The business meeting was called to order by the president, Mrs. Arthur Boutwell. Reports were read by the secretary, Mrs. Gerard Chapin and by the treasurer, Miss Martha Packard. During the year the guild has done work in seven different mission fields, beside sending barrels to St. Christopher's school in Georgia and St. John's Institute in Charlottesville, Virginia, and filling its quota of work in the Massachusetts diocese.

Miss Alice Jenkins, parish librarian, reported for the Church Periodical club, telling of the help given by forty-eight families in the parish who regularly pass on their magazines to others less fortunate than themselves.

Mrs. Albert E. Hulme reported for the mite boxes and Mrs. Horace H. Tyler, the retiring treasurer of the United Thank Offering, and Mrs. Joseph H. Rand, the present treasurer, both spoke of this branch of the work.

Officers were elected as follows: President, Mrs. Arthur Boutwell; vice president, Mrs. W. D. Walker; second vice president, Mrs. Gerard Chapin; secretary, Mrs. G. A. Monroe; treasurer, Miss Martha Packard.

A committee was appointed to arrange for a foot sale to be held later in the season, with Mrs. John C. Ralph, Mrs. Joseph Holland, Mrs. John Houghton Flint, Mrs. Thomas Platt and Mrs. H. E. Miller as its members.

Miss Alice Jenkins, Mrs. Eben A. Baldwin, Mrs. Addison B. LeBoutillier, Mrs. H. Winthrop Peirce and Mrs. C. W. Henry will plan for the fall get-together meeting for the whole parish which all the church organizations will participate.

News From the Town House

David D. Gillespie of 19 Cuba street, was appointed motorcycle officer to take the place of Leslie K. Carmichael, at a meeting of the Board of Selectmen held Monday afternoon. John Deyermund was appointed patrolman for Shawshen Village. He has been a special officer of the police department for a number of years.

The Board of Fire Engineers, Charles F. Emerson, chief, L. D. Pomeroy and Harry Wells, was reappointed by the selectmen. Joseph I. Pitman was appointed building inspector.

A number of licenses for pool rooms and victualers were granted.

In accordance with action taken at the last town meeting when a sum not exceeding \$10,000 was appropriated for a new ladder truck, an order has been placed for a Stutz motor ladder truck. It will have a six-cylinder engine and be of the city service type equipped with 60-foot ladders. It is expected that the truck will be delivered about the middle of July.

Remainder of Swift Homestead Sold

The Andover Associates, who purchased the Swift estate at the corner of Main and Chestnut streets, have disposed of the whole of the property except a frontage of 35 feet on Main street, next to the store occupied by Henry E. Miller.

The Andover Savings Bank bought the corner lot with a frontage on Main street, of 125 feet on which they will erect a business block. Andover Council, K. of C., bought the Swift house and land on Chestnut street, with a frontage of 120 feet. The building will be moved and remodelled into permanent quarters for the organization.

J. Harold Melledge whose land on Chestnut street adjoins the Swift estate, purchased a strip 25 feet wide.

The two remaining lots on Chestnut street, have been sold this week. Dr. J. J. Daly bought one and will build a home and Bernard L. McDonald is the purchaser of the second lot and also of the Swift barn.

Local Taxation Returns

The Board of Assessors would call the attention of persons liable to taxation to the notice in another column of the Townsman requiring them to bring in to the Assessors true lists of their polls and personal property, not exempt from taxation, before the 15th day of May. Apparently a great many have not attended to this duty. If blank returns have not been received by anyone, copies may be obtained at the Town House.

The making of these returns is of great assistance to the Assessors in classifying and valuing property, and fewer errors would occur and fewer mistakes would be made if tax payers would pay a little more attention to the taxation laws. The assessors are blamed for many things which might be obviated if everyone would make a return.

The following extracts from the General Laws should be carefully noted:

A person aggrieved by the taxes assessed upon him may, within six months after the date of his bill, apply to the assessors for an abatement thereof.

A person shall not have an abatement, except as otherwise provided, unless he has brought in to the assessors the list of his estate as required by section twenty-nine. Is such list is not filed within the time specified in the notice required by section twenty-nine, no part of the tax on the personal estate shall be abated unless the applicant shows to the assessors a reasonable excuse for the delay or unless such tax exceeds by more than fifty per cent the amount which would have been assessed on such estate if the list had been seasonably brought in, and in such case only the excess over such fifty per cent shall be abated.

Will Tender Tea to Abbot Faculty

The Abbot alumnae of Andover will celebrate the birthday of the school by giving an informal tea in honor of the faculty on Saturday afternoon, May 5, from 4 to 6, in the November Club house.

All local former students are combining to express in this way their appreciation of the splendid work done in the school and more especially the many invitations to take advantage of school privileges.

This announcement will take the place of individual notices to former students. Birthday gifts may be carried to the party or sent to Mrs. John L. Phillips, 53 Phillips street, before May 20.

Advertised Letters

May 3, '23
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Aids For May Party

The following aids have been appointed for the C. D. of A. May party to be held in the town hall on May 18: F. J. Dyer, J. Welch, Robert Winters, J. L. Dugan, William Harnedy, J. J. Hickey, Joseph McNally, J. J. Sullivan, Augustine Sullivan, Walter Morrissey, Fred McKay, William Fleming, Frank Markey, Harold Eastwood, John Leary, Archie Sullivan, Leo Allicon, Leo Daley, Joseph Fallon, John J. Brown, Joseph Daley, Frank Welch, Harold Welch, William Tammany and William Harnedy will assist in the check room.

Tickets for the affair may be secured from Miss Marie Daley or from members of Court St. Monica.

Card of Thanks

The members of the General William F. Bartlett Woman's Relief corps, and especially the committee on the May break-fast wish to thank the townspeople and merchants for their generous donations of food and money, as well as for their generous patronage, all of which helped to make the annual affair a success.

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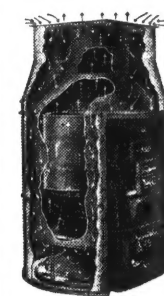
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MARY MILES MINTER IN "DRUMS OF FATE" CHARLES RAY IN "R.S.V.P."

FRIDAY, MAY 11
GLORIA SWANSON IN "MY AMERICAN WIFE" HOOT GIBSON IN "KINDLED COURAGE" AESOP'S FABLES

SATURDAY, MAY 12
HARRY CAREY IN "KICK BACK," AROUND THE WORLD IN EIGHTEEN DAYS (EPISODE 11) COMEDY PATHE NEWS

WEST PARISH

Eva Burt of Lowell street, is visiting in Walpole.

Miss Carrie Curtis is visiting in New Hampshire.

Mrs. August Palm is quite sick at her home on Blanchard street.

Mrs. George M. Carter is enjoying a week's vacation with friends.

The Christian Endeavor society will meet with Mrs. George M. Carter on Sunday evening.

The Boys' Club postponed meeting will be held with Walter F. Lewis on Wednesday evening.

The Lafalot club held an enjoyable meeting at the home of Mrs. Herbert Carter with Mrs. John Dole as hostess on Tuesday evening. The attendance was good.

Andover Grange will hold a "Bird Night," on Tuesday evening. Mrs. Alice Harrington of Lincoln, being the speaker of the evening, aided by Mr. Wheeler of Boston, who will imitate the bird calls.

Pomona Grange met with Andover Grange on Thursday. A class of twenty-one took the fifth degree. The attendance was large, over two hundred being present. The next Pomona meeting will be in October.

Power From Peanut Oil.

It seems that one of the advantages of the Diesel oil engines lies in its ability to produce power by burning not only the cheapest grades of natural mineral oils and the by-products of coal distillation and coke plants, tar and creosote oils, but also vegetable and animal oils. Indeed, it is said it can use peanut oil almost as effectively as mineral oil.

The use of fat oils from vegetable sources for fuel will, it is predicted, promote industrial development in regions where the cost of coal is prohibitive—in northern Africa, for instance, and in many parts of our own country. It is declared that those oils make it certain that motive power can still be produced from the heat of the sun, even when all our natural sources of solid and liquid fuels are exhausted.—Washington Star.

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ABBOTT VILLAGE

William Dobbie has entered the employ of Smith & Dove Company.

Mr. and Mrs. Alexander Valentine spent Sunday visiting in Gloucester.

Mrs. McDermitt of Red Spring road is confined to her home by illness.

George Brown of Red Spring road has accepted a position in the Shawshinn mill.

Fred Brackett and son, George, are spending the week with relatives in Nottingham, N. H.

James Greig of Boston spent Sunday at the home of his sister, Mrs. David Forbes of Red Spring road.

Alfred Nicoll of Cuba street has severed his connection with the Marland mill. He will spend the summer at Ipswich.

John Coleman of Essex street recently underwent an operation for appendicitis at the Lawrence General hospital.

David Gillispie of Cuba street, for several years employed at Morrissey's garage, has been appointed Motorcycle Officer. He assumed his new duties Tuesday.

Clock Presented at Surprise Party

A very pleasant surprise party was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. James Gordon of Red Spring road when a number of friends gathered and presented Mrs. Gordon with a beautiful parlor clock and a pair of candlesticks.

Refreshments were served by the hostess and a very pleasant evening spent. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Charles Valentine, Mr. and Mrs. George Keith, Mr. and Mrs. David Gillispie, Mr. and Mrs. James Gordon, Misses Esther Valentine, Elizabeth Valentine, Margaret Gordon, Mary Gordon, and James Gordon.

Describing Charity.

"Pa, what is charity?"
"Charity, my boy, is something which nobody likes to ask for, but everybody is glad to get. It is best when it is remembered by the receiver and forgotten by the giver. It shines brightest as a duty, and becomes dull and odious as a favor, later to be boasted of."

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UNION CONGREGATIONAL
Rev. A. H. Fuller, Pastor

10.30. Worship with sermon by the pastor. Sunday School to follow.
6.15. Christian Endeavor.
7.30 Wednesday. Prayer meeting.

METHODIST EPISCOPAL
Rev. Thomas E. Adams, Pastor

10.30. Worship with sermon by the pastor. Sunday School to follow.
7.00. Union service.
7.30 Wednesday. Prayer meeting.

Miss Christina Marland is visiting here.

Leonard Morrill is spending a few days in the Vale.

Mrs. D. H. Poor spent Tuesday visiting friends in Lowell.

Miss Sarah Priest of Melrose is visiting friends in town.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Kibbie were the guests Sunday of relatives in town.

Miss Annie Clemons is spending a week's vacation at her home on Marland road.

Mr. and Mrs. Burt Anderson and son were the guests on Sunday of relatives in town.

Mrs. Charles Hill of Somerville spent Tuesday visiting Mrs. Buckley, Chester street.

Willing Workers' society of the Methodist church will meet in the vestry, Monday evening.

Mrs. Joseph E. Watson of New Mexico is the guest of her uncle, John Davey of Marland road.

Mrs. George Brown and son have returned from a visit to Rev. and Mrs. Burton Hess, Saxtonville.

Mrs. F. A. French of Everett was the guest on Sunday of Mrs. J. W. Stark, Center street.

Mrs. John T. Moulton of North Rutland is the guest of her sister, Mrs. John Greenwood, Center street.

Mr. and Mrs. Mark Burlingame and family of Winthrop are occupying Miss Annie Clemons' camp on the Shawshinn.

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Loomer attended the funeral of Mrs. Loomer's uncle, R. Robinson, of Malden, on Monday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Glines and family who have been spending the winter in Methuen, are occupying their camp on River street.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy M. Haynes and daughter, Ada, are spending a few days with Mrs. E. E. Mitchell at York Beach, Me.

Lodge Deputy D. H. Poor installs the newly elected officers at Roosevelt lodge, I. O. G. T., Methuen on next Thursday evening.

The Ladies' Aid society of the Congregational church met on Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. B. F. Stafford, Tewksbury street.

Mrs. William Tomlinson and family of Wyandotte, Mich., are staying at the home of Mrs. Martha Dearborn, Andover street, for the summer.

Cards have been received at the Bradlee school and distributed to the boys over eleven to take free swimming lessons at the Lawrence Y. M. C. A.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Dunn and children who have been visiting the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jeremiah Cronin, have returned to their home in New Haven, Conn.

Charles Lowe of High street recently left town for Worcester and is now on a sight-seeing trip to Washington, D. C., where he will spend some time. Mr. Lowe made the trip by boat to Norfolk, Va.

At a meeting of the selectmen held Monday afternoon, Harry Wells was re-appointed fire engineer of the Ballardvale fire department. Mr. Wells has served in this capacity for the past two years.

J. W. Stark has returned home after spending several days at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Paul Abbott of Hartford, Conn. Mrs. Stark and son returned with Mr. Stark and will spend some time with her parents.

A meeting of the boy scouts of the village was held in the Methodist church vestry Monday evening. The boys did some practice work and played games. Scoutmaster Ernest C. Edmonds was unable to be present.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest C. Edmonds and children, Jean and Allan attended the funeral of Mr. Edmonds' mother held in Saugus this week. They were accompanied home by Mr. Edmonds' brother, Ellis L. Edmonds who came from Rochester, Vermont, to attend the funeral.

To Celebrate Tenth Anniversary of
Branch Library

Tuesday, May 8, will mark the tenth anniversary of the opening of the branch of the Memorial library in this town. The library was opened on May 6, 1913 and Miss Martha Bynington has been the librarian since that time.

On Tuesday, May 8, there will be open house and a reception to the public. Every one interested is cordially invited to become acquainted with the advantages of the library. No special program has been arranged although it is expected that one or two of the library trustees and Miss Edna Brown of the Andover library will be present and speak to the people. Light refreshments will be served and the reception is open to all interested.

Church Notes

The following announcements were made on Sunday morning by Rev. Thomas E. Adams, pastor of the M. E. church. Prayer meeting will be held in the vestry on Wednesday evenings at 7.30. Mr. Adams is extremely pleased by the good attendance and hopes the interest will continue.

There will be choir practice in the church on Thursday evenings at 7.30. The pastor has purchased new books for the choir and invites all who can sing and are interested in building up a good choir to be present.

The next four Sundays will be of special interest. Next Sunday will be Communion Sunday, and, "In Remembrance of Me," will be the subject.

Sunday, May 13, will be Mothers' day and the evening service will be devoted to the fathers. Recognition of the oldest mother and the oldest father will be made.

Sunday, May 20, will be "Go to Church" day when it is urged that every one go to church somewhere.

The last Sunday of the month will be

Memorial Sunday and a special service will be arranged for the soldiers of '61 and the American Legion to attend.

Mr. Adams' sermon on Sunday: "Our Gethsemanes," was especially interesting and helpful. Plans have been made for the children of the Sunday school to have solo singing and recitations from time to time. On next Sunday the children will listen to a solo by Master Cloyce Adams.

X. B. K. Notes

Abraham Lincoln chapter of X. B. K. will attend an X. B. K. get-together meeting at the Lawrence Y. M. C. A. this evening at 7 o'clock. There will be bowling and billiard tournaments between drawn councils, also stunts.

One of the big attractions will be to decide the championship basketball team between Helping Hand chapter and W. E. Wolcott chapter.

A meeting of the X. B. K. chapter was held Tuesday evening at 7:15 o'clock in the Congregational vestry.

Lodge Meeting

The regular meeting of B. V. lodge was held in Good Templar hall Monday evening with Mrs. Frances Benson acting as Chief Templar.

District Councillor Samuel Parry and Mrs. Parry of Roosevelt lodge, Methuen, paid the lodge a fraternal visit. Mr. Ripley and Mr. Miner of Methuen were also guests of the lodge.

A number of the lodge members are planning to attend the fair to be held by the district lodge in Barker hall, Methuen on Saturday. Ballardvale lodge will have a table and many local people have contributed toward it.

Meeting in Church Vestry

All children of the Congregational church between the ages of 8 and 12 have been asked to meet in the vestry this afternoon at 4 o'clock to form a band of Junior Helpers. The object is to study missions, both home and foreign. A number of the children who recently attended a missionary rally at the South church became very interested in the subject.

Miss Emily Tracey will have charge of the meeting and formation of the organization.

May Join League

With the summer months approaching the game of volleyball is in the air and some of the teams are anxious to form a community league. James Cookson of the Lawrence Y. M. C. A. is organizing such a league and has invited a team from this town to join the league. A team has already been formed to participate. Games will be played on Tuesday and Thursday evenings.

A meeting was held Wednesday evening in the Y. M. C. A. to form the league and discuss playing rules and all necessary business that may come up and make the league a strong and popular sport.

All teams are assured of a fine season of good clean, fast sport that will improve the health of every fellow that takes part as well as bringing together men in friendly competition.

E. W. Brown will represent this town at the meeting.

Entertains Sunday-School Class

A delightful party was held Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. S. C. Walker, when she entertained her Sunday-school class. A baseball game was participated in by members and other games were played. Before the close, sandwiches, doughnuts and cake were served to the happy gathering.

The following were present: Grace Russell, Roy Russell, Margaret Benson, Eva Kibbie, Florence Wells, Harold Stevens, Omar Stevens, Donald Davis, Gardner Townsend, Carl Hoffman, William Benson, Byron Farrington, Robley Proctor, Cloyce Adams and Mrs. S. C. Walker.

X. B. K. Notes

The meeting of the X. B. K., Abraham Lincoln chapter was held in the Congregational church vestry Tuesday evening. Routine business was transacted and a financial report was given on the recent minstrel show held by the society showing it was a great success.

It was voted to sell chocolate bars to raise funds. President Carl Wells was elected Captain of the X. B. K. volley ball team.

The average yield of potatoes per acre in the United States varies from about 60 bushels in Texas to more than 200 bushels in Maine, according to reports of the United States Department of Agriculture. The average for the entire country for the past 10 years is 98 bushels per acre.

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In the same class must be added such songs as "The Boney Man," "In the Shade of the Old Apple Tree," and "After the Ball." It is said, too, that "My Pretty Jane," which Sims Reeves sang thousands of times, netted \$2,000 a line.

Yet some of these best sellers have been the result of but a few minutes' actual work. "Sing Me to Sleep" was composed in ten minutes. Tosti's "Dear Heart" was the work of two days, while Balfe wrote "Killarney" in a few minutes.—London Tit-Bits.

Old Car Didn't Matter.

The neighbors had bought a new car, but still used the old one, which was sitting at the curb one day when Mrs. H., across the street, was backing out of her driveway with Charles on the seat beside her. He was watching out from his side of the car.

"Am I going all right, sonny?" Mrs. H. asked.

"Yes, you're all right, mother," Charles answered.

"I want to be careful and not hit Jones' car."

"It won't make any difference if you do, mother; it's their old one," Charles replied.

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TOWN OF ANDOVER

PUBLIC HEARING

The following persons have petitioned the Board of Selectmen for a license to conduct or maintain a Garage of the first class, and to keep or store Volatile Inflammable Liquid in connection therewith:

Henry E. Miller, 21 Florence St., Andover.

William Shorten, 40 Elm St., Andover.

A public hearing on the said petitions will be held at the Town House on Monday, May 14, 1923, at 4 P. M., in accordance with the provisions of the General Laws relating thereto.

FRANK H. HARDY
CHARLES BOWMAN
ANDREW MCNERNEN
Selectmen of Andover

Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PROBATE COURT

ESSEX, SS.

To the heirs-at-law, next of kin, and all other persons interested in the estate of Ann Hollows late of Andover in said County, deceased.

Whereas, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said Court for probate, by David D. Yale who prays that letters of administration with the will annexed may be issued to him, or some other suitable person, the executor named in said will having declined the trust.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Lawrence in said County of Essex, on the fourteenth day of May A.D. 1923, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Andover Townsman a newspaper published in Andover the last publication to be one day, at least, before said Court, and by mailing, post-paid, or delivering a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate, seven days at least before said Court.

Witness, HARRY R. DOW, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this twenty-third day of April in the year one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three.

HORACE H. ATHERTON, Jr., Register.

Mortgagee's Sale of Real Estate

By virtue of a power of sale contained in a certain mortgage deed given by Elmer E. Batchelder and Emma Batchelder, husband and wife, to the Atlantic Co-operative Bank, dated April 18, 1921, and recorded with Essex North District Registry of Deeds, book 439, page 13, for a breach of the conditions contained in said mortgage deed and for the purpose of foreclosing the same, will be sold at public auction on the premises described in said mortgage deed, on Monday, May 28th, 1923, at 3.30 o'clock in the afternoon of said day, the premises described in said mortgage deed, to wit:

The land in Andover, Essex County, Massachusetts, together with the buildings thereon, situated on the Eastern side of Main Street, and bounded:—Beginning at the point marked by an iron bound on said street, which is seven hundred and forty-eight and one-half (748½) feet southerly from the boundstone on said street dividing land now or formerly of Catherine A. Byrne from land now or formerly of one Gould; thence running Easterly by said land now or formerly of said Catherine A. Byrne five hundred and three and three-tenths (503.3) feet to a point in the boundary line of said Catherine A. Byrne's land, now or formerly, and land now or late of said Gould; which point is ten hundred and twenty-one (1021) feet southerly from the northern apex of land now or formerly of said Byrne, measured along said boundary line between said Gould and Byrne lands; thence running Southeasterly along said boundary line ninety-one and seven-tenths (91.7) feet; thence turning and running Westerly in a line parallel to the first course to a point in said street, marked by an iron bound, which point is ninety (90) feet Southerly from the place of beginning; thence turning and running Northerly by said street ninety (90) feet to the point of beginning.

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Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PROBATE COURT

ESSEX, SS.

To the heirs-at-law, next of kin, and all other persons interested in the estate of Jeremiah Evans Tracy late of Andover in said County, deceased.

Whereas, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said Court for probate, by Emily B. Tracy and Martha Tracy who pray that letters testamentary may be issued to them the executors therein named, without giving a surety on their official bond, (Emily B. Tracy being named in said will as Emily Baldwin Tracy).

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Salem in said County of Essex, on the seventh day of May A.D. 1923, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Andover Townsman a newspaper published in Andover the last publication to be one day, at least, before said Court, and by mailing, post-paid, or delivering a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate, seven days at least before said Court.

Witness, HARRY R. DOW, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this sixteenth day of April in the year one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three.

HORACE H. ATHERTON, Jr., Register.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PROBATE COURT.

ESSEX, SS.

To all persons interested in the estate of James N. Smart late of Andover in said County, deceased:

Whereas, Theodore Eaton the administrator with the will annexed of the estate now already administered of said deceased, has presented for allowance, the first and final account of his administration upon the estate of said deceased:

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Salem in said County of Essex, on the twenty-first day of May A.D. 1923, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be allowed.

And said administrator is ordered to serve this citation by delivering a copy thereof to all persons interested in the estate fourteen days at least before said Court, or by publishing the same once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Andover Townsman a newspaper published in Andover the last publication to be one day at least before said Court, and by mailing, post-paid, a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate seven days at least before said Court.

Witness, HARRY R. DOW, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this twenty-fifth day of April in the year one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three.

HORACE H. ATHERTON, Jr., Register.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PROBATE COURT

ESSEX, SS.

To the heirs-at-law, next of kin, and all other persons interested in the estate of Stephen E. Abbott late of Andover in said County, deceased.

Whereas, certain instruments purporting to be the last will and testament—and two codicils—of said deceased have been presented to said Court for probate, by Colver J. Stone who prays that letters testamentary may be issued to him, the executor therein named, without giving a surety on his official bond.

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One-Ton Truck Increasing in Popularity

Predictions made early in the year that 1923 would see a large increase in the use of the one-ton truck in both commercial and agricultural fields are being borne out in sales records of the Ford Motor Company.

The rapidity with which the one-ton truck has come into popularity in delivery and hauling systems is shown in recently compiled figures which disclose that 80% of all the motor trucks in service in the United States are one-ton or less and indications are that this high ratio will be materially increased during the present year.

The growth has come during the last six years during which the one-ton truck jumped from 48% to the 80% mark.

Registration figures as of December 1, 1922, showed the total number of commercial cars and trucks in use in the United States to be in excess of 1,300,000, of which 51% were Fords.

The turn to the use of the one-truck for delivery and hauling purposes came quickly. Business firms who a few years back looked to the larger trucks because of their load-carrying appeal soon discovered that delivery systems could be more easily adapted to the one-ton truck at less investment and at the same time would afford more load-moving units with increased efficiency and constant activity at the loading station.

Delivery systems were adapted to provide a variety of ranges so that each truck carried an average load over a maximum portion of its route and the economy of these frequent trips soon became apparent.

And while the commercial field has been constantly calling upon the one-ton truck to solve its delivery problems those in the agricultural field are rapidly turning to it for

general farm use and in providing speedier and more economical transportation of products from the farm to the city.

In adapting their delivery and hauling systems to the one-ton truck, commercial and agricultural users have found the Ford Truck chassis comes most nearly meeting all requirements. Its ease and simplicity of operation make it the most practical; its sure, constant operation makes it the most dependable and its adaptability to all purposes makes it the truck of greatest appeal. Then, too, its service facilities are universal.

P. A. Glee Club Second in First Inter-preparatory School Contest in New York City

The Glee club of Phillips academy was rated second in the first inter-preparatory school contest held in New York City, at the Town Hall, Saturday evening, April 21. Eight schools contested. Taft was given first place with Andover a close second. The prize song was Bullard's "The Sword of Ferrara." In addition to the prize-song each school sang a so-called light song and a school song. Andover sang as its light song an aria of Bach: "Art thou with me," arranged for male voices by Mr. Platteicher, and published by Carl Fischer & Co., of New York and Boston, and a Phillips hymn, the words by Dr. Fuess, the music by Mr. Platteicher.

The scoring was on the basis of 300 points; 150 for the prize-song, 100 for the light song and 50 for the school song.

The judges of the contest were Tertius Noble, organist at St. Thomas, New York; Dr. Henry Hall, Columbia University; and Marshall Bartholomew, leader of the Yale Glee club and assistant conductor of the University Glee Club of New York City.

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Papini. Life of Christ. 232.9 P19
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Bindloss. The bush-rancher. Buchanan. Huntingtower.

Dehan. The just steward. Gale. Faint perfume.

Lee. The mysterious office. Martin. Church on the avenue.

O'Brien. Frodden gold. Phillpotts. The Red Redmaynes.

Prouty. Stella Dallas. Reynolds. Lonely stronghold.

Rowland. Hiredelle.

Punchard Wins from Johnson High

Punchard won its first game of the season on Tuesday afternoon when Johnson High was defeated by a score of 9 to 3. Poor pitching and rugged fielding accounted for the defeat of the North Andover team. Swenson, a Punchard freshman, pitched well, keeping the Johnson high hits well scattered, and fielding his position perfectly. Coach Skinner made a number of changes in the lineup of his Johnson high team in a vain event to effect a winning combination. During the latter stages of the game a number of recruits were sent into the Punchard lineup to give them a chance to display their ability.

The opposing captains were the luminaries of their respective teams. Joe Wright, playing first base for Punchard, gave a fine exhibition on the initial base, while Nearing, leader of the North Andover high school team, who incidentally played first base, also played well. He made five hits in as many trips to the plate, one a slashing double to left centre in the third inning.

The score:

	PUNCHARD	JOHNSON
Souter, s.s.	ab	r h po s e
Ruhl, 2b.	2	1 1 3 0 0
Coutts, r.f., lf.	5	1 0 2 0 0
Wright, 1b.	4	2 3 0 0 0
Dodge, lf.	2	1 0 2 0 0
Pomeroy, r.f.	2	0 1 0 0 0
Adams, c.f.	3	0 1 0 0 0
Pritchard, c.f.	0	0 0 0 0 0
Frederickson, c.	3	1 1 1 1 1
Barnes, c.	2	0 0 5 2 1
Partridge, 3b.	4	1 1 2 1 0
Swenson, p.	3	0 1 0 0 0
"Bonner"	0	0 0 0 0 0
Totals	34	10 9 27 12 3

Totals	34	10	9	27	12
	JOHNSON				
Battles, 3b., lf.	3	1	1	2	1
S. Jostrom, s.s.	5	0	2	1	2
Mason, c., p.	4	0	0	4	3
Nearing, 1b.	5	0	5	8	0
Burnham, p., r.f.	3	0	0	0	1
Carr, c.f., c.	3	1	1	1	0
Knightly, 2b.	3	0	0	2	1
Dimmery, 2b.	2	0	0	3	0
Richardson, c.f.	3	1	1	0	0
Armstrong, c.f.	1	0	0	0	0
Buchan, lf.	1	0	1	1	1
Dawson, 3b.	3	0	0	2	2

Innings: 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9
Punchard 0 2 3 4 0 7 8 9
Johnson 1 0 0 0 1 1 0 0 -10
*Batted for Adams in the eighth.

Two-base hits—Frederickson and Nearing. Hits—Off Burnham 4 in 4 innings; Off Mason, 5 in 5 innings. Sacrifice hits—Partridge, Swenson. Stolen bases—Adams 2, Dawson 2, Ruhl, Coutts, Burnham, Dimmery, Armstrong, Richardson, Dawson. Double plays—Dawson to Dimmery. Left on bases—Punchard 8, Johnson 13. First base on balls—Off Burnham 6, Mason 1, Swenson 5. Hit by Pitcher—Burnham 3, Mason 1, Swenson 3. Passed balls—Barnes 1. Wild pitches—Mason, Burnham 2, Swenson 2. Balk—Swenson. Time—2 hrs. 10 min. Umpire—Fitzpatrick.

Police Court Notes

Richard Murphy and Andrew Johnson were arrested Saturday night by Officer Leonard Saunders charged with creating a disturbance in the lunch cart on Essex street. They were tried in Andover police court Monday afternoon. They were both discharged as there was not sufficient evidence to convict them.

In police court Monday morning, Alex Gibson, of this town charged with drunkenness was fined \$5 by Judge Stone. He was arrested Saturday night.

Elraco Fisher of Somerville who was injured in an automobile accident on the Reading road on April 19 died in the Lawrence hospital on April 24.

Michael Hyland of 35 Ash street, Lowell, who was injured in an automobile accident on the Lowell road April 21, died at the Lawrence General hospital, April 25.

Merrimack Highest in Twenty-One Years

The water in the Merrimack river, which reached the highest point in this vicinity in the past twenty years shortly after ten o'clock Tuesday morning, started to recede about an hour later and at noon had dropped more than an inch from its highest level.

At ten o'clock Tuesday forenoon, more than 81-2 feet of water was flowing over the crest of the dam. The height of the river above the dam at this time was 42.59 feet and at the lower locks 23.05 feet. These are the highest recorded levels reached by the Merrimack in the past twenty years, according to the records of the Essex company. The water rose rapidly early Tuesday morning and continued its steady rise until after 10 o'clock when it reached its highest point. At 8 o'clock, the height of the river above the dam was 42.49 feet and at the lower locks 22.80 feet. In the next two hours, the river continued to rise until the peak was reached. The water then started to recede and at noon had dropped to 23 feet at the lower locks in comparison with 23.05 feet recorded at 10 o'clock.

Two Lawrence mills, the Champion International Paper company and the Patchogue-Plymouth mills, were forced to shut down completely on Tuesday. Ten other mills were affected in part and forced to shut down one or more departments. They were: the Pacific Print Works, where half the departments were closed; the Pacific mills worst department of which the greater part was closed; the Wood mill, small part shut down; the Everett mills spooling and spinning departments; the Pemberton mills, about 25 per cent of the entire plant shut down; the Lawrence Duck company, card room shut down; Farwell bleachery, small part of plant closed; Brightwood mills, finishing and dyeing departments closed; Munroe Felt and Paper company; power reduced; and Sutton mills dye house closed.

Several other mills among them the Washington and Ayer mills and the Merrimack Paper Co. reported that the basements of the plants were flooded but that none of their departments were forced to shut down because of the high water.

More debris came down the river Tuesday than at any other time in years it is said, and hundreds of persons lined the Falls bridge during the day and Monday evening watching the logs and trees carried over the falls by the flood waters. Considerable property damage has been caused between Lawrence and Lowell and scores of summer camps situated on the Lowell road, were surrounded by water. In many places along the road the flood reached almost to the edge of the highways. The river overtopped its banks in many places and all the low lying land is inundated. Riverview street, North Andover, is under a foot of water in some places and the cellars of many houses have been flooded.

The freshest nearly filled the new billion gallon reservoir owned by the Arlington mills at North Salem. The water above the dam reached a height of more than 20 feet; a rise of only three feet more being sufficient to fill the reservoir.

Camps on the north bank of the Merrimack at various points in Methuen were cut off from the mainland by high water. Many boats hauled out on the banks of the river which had not been launched were afloat, and long stretches of low land were flooded on both sides of the stream.

The Merrimack river at noon Wednesday had receded at the lower locks more than two feet from Tuesday's highest point, and above the dam had dropped considerably more than a foot. All danger of additional property damage, due to the freshet, has now passed, and it is expected that the river will continue to subside gradually unless further heavy rains are experienced. Several of the mills which were forced to close part of their plant, due to the high water, reopened the closed departments Wednesday.

Andover Lodge I. O. O. F. Holds Roll-Call, Banquet and Concert

The annual roll call, banquet and entertainment of Andover Lodge, 230 I. O. O. F., was held last Friday night with the ladies as specially invited guests. The banquet was served in Garfield hall at 7 o'clock by Caterer Weigel to more than 130 guests. The menu was as follows: grapefruit cocktail, steak pie, relishes, olives, rolls, ices, cookies and coffee.

The roll call was held in Odd Fellows hall following the banquet with Herbert W. Ford presiding. Walter E. Buxton, secretary, called the roll and a large number responded. A short address of welcome was given by Samuel D. Stubbs, Noble Grand.

A very enjoyable entertainment was given. Thomas D. Parkinson, bass, sang several solos in delightful manner and Mrs. Parkinson was an efficient accompanist. Mrs. Hubert Mayo entertained with readings.

A one-act sketch in two scenes, "The Speed Limit," was cleverly presented by members of the lodge and created much amusement. The members of the cast were: Tommy, a smooth chap, George D. Stott; Bill, a burglar, later a judge, Herbert W. Holt; Dan, a burglar, later a policeman, Clarence Smalley; Felix, an autoist, Claremont Gray; Otto an autoist, Bertram Stott.

Dancing in Garfield hall concluded a very successful evening. Music was furnished by Mrs. Kerr Sparks, pianist. The efficient committee comprised Herbert W. Ford, chairman, Samuel Stubbs, N. G., Alexander MacKenzie and Bertram Stott.

Agricultural School Announces Summer Course

A special course for experienced farmers will be held at the Massachusetts Agricultural College from June 25 to June 30. The tentative program is as follows: Monday, June 25, 1:00 p.m., greenhouse construction, including the erection of a model Lord and Burnham greenhouse; Tuesday, June 26, 8:00 a.m., greenhouse heating; Wednesday, June 27, 8:00 a.m., fumigation; 1:00 p.m., soils and fertilizers; Thursday, June 28, 8:00 a.m., plant propagation; 1:00 p.m., garden flowers for the florist and inspection tour of the campus; Friday, June 29, 8:00 a.m., minor crops of the florists and new varieties of minor crops; 1:00 p.m., chrysanthemums and sweet peas; Saturday, June 30, 8:00 a.m., carnations.

The regular Summer School at the college will open July 2, continuing for four weeks, closing July 27. The teaching staff will consist of Professors Cassidy, Graham, Harris, Patterson, Marshall, Phelan, Robertson, Sears, Thayer, Van Meter, Wells and Fernald of the regular college staff, assisted by Miss Helen M. Allen, Frederick W. Ried and Miss Corinne Hall of the Framingham Normal School; Miss Olga Grizzle of Springfield; Miss Violet Bolingbroke of Boston; and Mrs. Alice Dresser of Brookline.

The work of the Summer School includes courses in design and practical arts, bee-keeping, poultry, clothing, foods, millinery, home management, house furnishing, vegetable gardening, agricultural education, sanitation and hygiene, dramatic presentation, rural sociology, horticultural manufactures, pomology, floriculture, bird life and insect life.

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Abbot Academy Notes

The Sunday evening service which was held in Davis hall was conducted by President Marshall of Connecticut college in New London, after which Mr. Howe gave a short organ recital.

On Saturday afternoon in Davis hall, the school sang very delightfully a humorous cantata, entitled "The Quaker and the Highwayman," and also a short group of songs.

The senior class will repeat their very interesting performance of "The Merchant of Venice" on Tuesday evening, May 8, at 7:30, in Davis Hall. The proceeds will be added to the Abbot Loyalty Fund and it is hoped that there will be a large audience. The tickets which are a dollar may be obtained at the door.

Eight Andover girls students at Abbot academy, have attained scholarship of the first grade, four of them having a average of over ninety-two per cent. The Andover girls on the honor roll are Lucy Sanborn, June Hinnman, Ruth Perry, Edna Renouf, Natalie Page, Sylvia Shapleigh, Ruth Stafford and Raymah Wright.

The complete honor roll follows: Average of 93 per cent—Lucy Sanborn of Andover.

Average of 92 per cent—Adelaide Hammond, Shrewsbury; June Hinnman, Andover; Helen Keating, Mansfield, Ohio; Rose Lobenstein, Shanghai, China; Betty Nelson, White Plains, N. Y.; Ruth Perry, Andover; Edna Renouf, Andover.

Average of 91 per cent—Anastis Bower, Lawrence; Ruth Davies, Jamaica Plain; Sally Finch, Duluth, Minnesota; Caroline Strachley, Ardmore, Oklahoma.

Average of 90 per cent—Mary Simpson Galesburg, Ill.

Average of 89 per cent—Ruth Holmes, Brookline; Edna Marland, Ballardvale; Evelyn McDougall, Rockland, Maine; Catherine Miller, Des Moines, Ia.; Dolores Osborne, Arlington; Natalie Page, Andover; Florence Prickett, Wilmington, Del.; Sylvia Shapleigh, Andover; Ruth Stafford, Andover; Eleanor Warren, Westfield; Margaret Wolf, New York City.

Average of 88 per cent—Margaret Bush, Essex Falls, N. J.; Evelyn Glidden, Watertown; Ruth Hawley, Baldwinville; Dorothy Taylor, New Rochelle, N. Y.; Raymah Wright, Andover.

Miss Frederickson Showered

Miss Elizabeth Frederickson of Shawheen Village, was given a miscellaneous shower Tuesday night by the members of the Octagon club, at the home of Mrs. George M. Collins, Elm street. The affair was in honor of her approaching marriage to Edward R. Lawson and she received many useful gifts. The evening was pleasantly spent in games and music and dainty refreshments were served by the hostess.

Miss Frederickson, who is the popular director of the telephone exchange at the Wood mill was presented with a beautiful floor lamp by her fellow employees when she concluded her services.

Violin Lessons

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A Tribute

STEPHEN E. ABBOTT

On the afternoon of May first, a little company gathered on a slope in the South Church cemetery to pay their last tribute to the memory of one of Andover's most respected sons.

Stephen E. Abbott was born in Andover, seventy-four years ago last month and spent most of his life in his native town. About a year and a half ago he removed to Florida intending to make his home there for the future, but was permitted to enjoy it but a brief time.

Mr. Abbott was a typical New Englander, quiet, simple in his tastes, honest and respected. He never sought public office, yet by his genial manner and upright character he made many friends. He had a kind word for every one, especially for the children who regarded him as their friend. During the years of his residence in Ballardvale, he was an interested and regular attendant at the Congregational Church.

On Tuesday last, the earthly remains were placed beside those of the only son who preceded him several years ago, the committal service being conducted by Rev. A. H. Fuller of Ballardvale.

The sympathy of the community goes out to his companion in her southern home, with the prayer that the God of all comfort may comfort and sustain her as he alone can do.

An upright citizen, a good neighbor, a kind friend, a devoted husband, his memory will long linger as an inspiration and benediction. A. H. F.

Punchard Senior Reception

The annual reception to the Senior class of Punchard by the Alumni Association was given last Friday night in the school hall. It was attended by the seniors and a number of the younger members of the Alumni association.

The matrons were: Mrs. Roy M. Haynes, Mrs. Albert Ruhl and Mrs. G. A. Yunggebauer.

Dancing was enjoyed till midnight, music being furnished by Dwyer's orchestra. Refreshments were served.

The members of the committee, who arranged the party were: Roy E. Hardy, president; George Brown, first vice president; G. K. Cutler, second vice president; John L. Dugan, third vice president; Miss Ella Holt, treasurer; Miss Beatrice Poland, secretary; M. E. Gutterston, John V. Holt, Miss Madeleine Hewes, Miss Louisa Eaton, Fred E. Cheever.

Wiped Out the Gophers.

As a prize for the township killing the largest number of gophers, Linden township won purebred Holstein bull given by Cavalier county (North Dakota) in its 1922 gopher campaign, according to reports to the United States Department of Agriculture. The gophers were well cleaned up, saving the county 410,000 bushels of grain on a conservative estimate, and every farmer in Linden township has the privilege of breeding to the bull for a small fee charged to help defray the expense of keeping him. The prize promises to be of much benefit to the dairy industry of the township.

Entertains at Luncheon and Bridge

Mrs. Charles P. Gabeler was the hostess at the Friday Afternoon Auction Bridge club when she entertained the members at her home on Locke street. Luncheon was served at one o'clock, after which cards were played and prizes awarded.

Among those present from Lawrence were: Mrs. Louis S. Cox, Mrs. Arthur Sweeney and Miss Bertha Grimes. Those from Andover were: Mrs. J. J. Mahoney, Mrs. Mitchell Johnson, Miss Margaret Curran, Miss Irene Odline and Mrs. Charles P. Gabeler.

Workmen Hurt at Phillips Academy

Three Lawrence workmen employed on the new recreation building in course of erection at Phillips Academy, were injured Monday afternoon, when a staging on which they were at work gave way, throwing them to the ground. They were given first aid and taken to the Lawrence General hospital, for further treatment.

The injured men are Joseph Schwartz, Lowell street, fractured right leg; James Britto, Valley street, fractured elbow and fractured ribs; Alfred Monto, Oxford street, fractured arm. The latter was able to return to his home later in the day, but the others are still at the hospital.

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Enjoy Supper and Dance at Manor

The buffet supper and dance at the manor on Saturday evening, was a very enjoyable affair, about 50 couples being present. Sinclair's orchestra furnished the music.

Among those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Charles C. Ide, Mr. and Mrs. Augustine Horman, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Moore, Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Gerrish, Mr. and Mrs. George H. Winslow, Mr. and Mrs. D. R. Lawson, Mr. and Mrs. Charles J. Bailey, Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Yale, Misses Helen Donald, Emily Walker, Muriel Johnson, and Kenyon Holly, Brayton Mayers, and Robert Carter.

Women's Club to Hold Annual Meeting

The annual meeting of the Shawsheen Village Women's club will be held next Monday evening, May 7, in Balmoral hall. Reports will be read and officers for the ensuing year elected. Refreshments will be served and a social hour enjoyed. This will be the last club meeting of the season.

Plans for Golf Course Progressing

A topographical map of the 150 acres in Shawsheen village, on which is to be laid out an eighteen-hole golf course is in process of preparation. This plan will be submitted to an expert in such matters and one of the finest courses in this section will be built. About forty acres of the land lies between Beacon street and Chandler road, the remainder lying east of Chandler road, including the old Chandler farm and other land to the north and east. The clubhouse, which probably will not be built before another season, will front on the William street extension.

WINS FROM METHUEN

Shawsheen Puts up Fast Game in Spite of Rain and Defeats Visitors by Score of 2 to 0

The few fans who braved the elements Saturday witnessed a game which was brimful of thrills, and although Shawsheen won the game by two goals to none, it was only the brilliant goal tending of Duke that kept the Methuenites from netting the ball on several occasions. One stop from Freddy Churchley was a marvelous piece of work.

Despite the rain, the game was wonderfully fast, and the football was as good as one could desire. Some of the passing on the Shawsheen side was beautifully executed, and Methuen had much to thank its resolute, though rather vigorous defense. On the run of play, the Gold and Black about deserved its triumph. Duke kept a marvelous goal for Shawsheen.

Smith and Jackson proved a sturdy pair of backs, being much safer than the Methuen pair. In the halfbacks, Brownlie, Nelson and Stewart seemed to overwhelm the Methuen forwards, Nelson in particular maintaining his reputation as a star centerhalf.

In the forward line each individual played a good game, Noble and Mitchell particularly shining in some good plays, and they seem to have found the location of the goal posts, for their shooting was 100 per cent, better than when they last played Methuen.

On the home side McIntosh played his usual good game, and did not have a chance to save either goal that was registered against him. In the back division, Charlie Marsden and Shields were overworked, as the Methuen half did not hold the Shawsheen forwards, and any part of the game Mitchell was the pick of a moderate intermediate line.

In the forward line Churchley played in starts, and never seemed to put his heart into the game. Low and Clegg played a fairly good game. Cummings, the new outside right, did not have much chance to shine, but he appeared to shape up pretty well.

In a nutshell, the Shawsheen halves had the measure of the Methuen forwards the greater portion of the game. Methuen won the toss and Shawsheen started the game in a heavy downpour of rain.

Shawsheen at once took up the attack, and the Methuen defense had a warm time. The visitors were swinging the ball in great style, and once Mitchell opened up a promising attack with a quick transfer to E. Smith, but it fizzled out. The home forwards made a break away, but Smith sent them back when he nicely tackled Churchley and put his team on the attack with a ponderous kick.

Shawsheen continued to attack, and after about 30 minutes of play, nice work by E. Smith sent Mitchell through, and he made no mistake in finding the location of the net. Methuen hotly assailed the Shawsheen goal after this reverse, but offside play spoiled some good openings, and half-time was called, with Shawsheen leading by the odd goal.

Methuen had the better of the opening stages of the second half. Both wings succeeded in carrying play to the Shawsheen end, but the inside forwards failed to connect their passes, and no custodians ever played better than Duke, the Shawsheen goal-keeper, and when he deflected a great drive from F. Churchley over the bar, the few Shawsheen fans gave him a great ovation.

A flying dangerous attack was made by Shawsheen, and in a close play Shields handed in the penalty area, and Nelson made no mistake in adding number two. Shawsheen must have been practicing goal shooting, for Saturday they showed a decided improvement.

An unpleasant feature of the game was when the referee had occasion to put Noble and Mitchell out of the game for attempting to fight. Methuen had Shawsheen practically penned to its own half, but thanks to the brilliant defense of Duke, did not capitulate, and Shawsheen ran out winners of a good game by two goals to none.

The summary: AMERICAN WOOLEN CO. MASS. COTTON Wallace, g. g., Smith Higginsbotham, r. b. r. b., H. Lowe Butler, l. b. l. b., J. Turnbull Jones, r. h. b. r. h. b., Swanton Barclay, c. h. b. c. h. b., Garner Watson, l. h. b. l. h. b., Young W. Deyermund, o. r. f. o. r. f., M. Turnbull Sullivan, i. r. f. i. r. f., McMahon Rennie, c. f. c. f., J. W. Kershaw Gunter, i. l. f. i. l. f., Brown Law, o. l. f. o. l. f., Tully Referee: W. Hulse, Linesmen, Deyermund, and Rostrom. Goal scorers: Deyermund 1, Jones 1, Gunter 2, Butler 1, Garner 1, Kershaw 1, M. Turnbull 1.

The summary: SHAWSHEEN McIntosh, g. g., Alex. Duke C. Marsden, r. b. r. b., J. Smith, R. Jackson Shields, l. b. l. b., Isaac Stewart D. Churchley, r. h. b. r. h. b., Wm. Nelson W. Nelson, c. h. b. c. h. b., J. Brownlie W. Mitchell, l. h. b. l. h. b., R. Noble D. Cummings, r. o. f. r. o. f., D. Paton C. Lowe, i. r. f. i. r. f., J. Mitchell S. Marsden, c. f. c. f., E. Smith G. Clegg, i. l. f. i. l. f., David Gair Referee: V. Dobson, Linesmen, Clark and Anderson. Goal scorers: Mitchell and Nelson. Time: 2 45m. halves.

Industrial League Standing
Team gp w l d f a Pts
Abbot 9 9 0 0 40 7 18
Methuen 11 6 3 2 23 24 14
Am. Wool 8 4 1 3 25 13 11
Shawsheen 9 4 2 3 15 14 11
Fore River 6 3 3 0 19 14 6
Arling. Mills 11 2 7 2 13 31 6
Mass. Cotton 10 0 10 0 11 36 0

Saturday's Results
(Industrial League)
Shawsheen 2 goals, Methuen 0.
American Woolen 3 goals, Mass. Cotton 3 goals.
Abbot Worst, 5 goals, General Electric 0.
Wallace Cup (second round).
Smith & Dove 1 goal, Arlington Mills 1 goal.

GIVE WARNING OF STORMS

Tides Said to Show When Unusual Atmospheric Disturbances May Be Looked For.

It has been shown, in the opinion of certain scientists, that West Indian hurricanes and other great storms at sea frequently produce a remarkable effect upon the tides along neighboring coasts.

When a tempest is approaching, or passing out on the ocean, the tides are noticeably higher than usual, as if the water had been driven in a vast wave before the storm. The influence extends a great distance from the cyclonic storm center, so that the possibility exists of foretelling the approach of a dangerous hurricane by means of indications furnished by the tide gauges situated far away from the place then occupied by the whirling winds.

The fact that the tidal wave outstrips the advancing storm shows how extremely sensitive the surface of the sea is to the changes of pressure brought to bear upon it by the never-resting atmosphere.

NEWS NOTES

The Greens committee of the Shawsheen Bowling Green Club met Thursday evening at the Boys' Club.

The Balmoral tennis courts were opened for the season Wednesday afternoon. Although the weather was quite cool several matches were played. A great deal of work was put into the courts before opening them and they are now in first class condition.

Wedding

GILBERT — SPENCER

Miss May Spencer, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Spencer of LaFayette road, Ipswich, and James D. Gilbert, son of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Gilbert of Shawsheen Village, were married Saturday evening at 6 o'clock, at the home of the bride. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Carl H. Raupach, pastor of the Methodist church and the double ring service was used. The bride was given in marriage by her father.

The bride was attended by her sister, Miss Hazel I. Spencer and the best man was Robert Black. Miss Mildred Jedry played the wedding march. A lunch was served. After a wedding trip to Hopedale and Pawtucket, R. I., Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert will live at Shawsheen Village.

Community Services

Rev. C. Norman Bartlett of the Baptist church was the speaker on Sunday evening at the Shawsheen Village Community services held in Postoffice hall at 7:30 p.m. The subject of Mr. Bartlett's talk was "Trained Contentment."

Rev. C. W. Henry of Christ church, will be the speaker next Sunday evening. Sunday school will be held as usual in the morning at 9:30 and will continue through the month of May.

Meeting Postponed

The regular monthly meeting of the Parent-Teacher association of Shawsheen village was not held on Wednesday evening as scheduled because of the school vacation. It is expected the meeting will be held next week when the children of the Richardson school will give a play.

Challenge Cup Committee Meets

A meeting of the George M. Wallace Challenge Cup committee was held at the Shawsheen postoffice Tuesday night, with President John Mullen in the chair. The following were present: Secretary Valentine, Vice President Thomas Gunter, and representatives from the Shawsheen, Arlington, Methuen, Smith & Dove clubs. Minutes of the previous meeting and reports of referees on the games played to date were accepted. It was voted that the Smith & Dove-Arlington semi-final be played over Saturday on the Arlington mill ground with Referee Settle in charge.

After much argument by the Methuen manager, Jennings, it was voted that the semi-final between Methuen and American Woolen Co., be played on Wednesday night, May 9. Kick off at 6:15 p.m.

Fred Houghton was drawn to referee the game.

It was also decided the competition send a delegate to represent the interests of this vicinity on the State Council at S. Ringfield. Secretary Valentine was named by the president to attend the meeting.

The meeting of Shawsheen and American Woolen Co., at Balmoral Park is expected to be a banner game. Manager MacNulty of the American Woolen Co. is arranging a reception and supper to members of both clubs and special guests are to be invited from out of town.

Judge Wilmett Goes Home.

Delbert O. Wilmett, judge of the city court, had been holding an overtime court. His wife had invited friends for dinner and the judge was in a hurry to get home. He called on Captain Pope, who was in charge at the police station, for transportation.

The driver of the car said he was not very familiar with the neighborhood where the judge lives, as the persons living there seldom call on the police to adjust their family differences, and it is possible that he was responsible for what happened. The driver said an automobile was parked in front of the Wilmett home, so he stopped in front of the home next door. In his defense, the judge says the two houses are alike. At any rate, it is said, the judge carefully removed his overshoes on his neighbor's doormat, and walked in on them unceremoniously.—Indianapolis News.

Century of British Artists.

The Royal Society of British Artists is making preparations to hold an exhibition in celebration of its one hundredth anniversary. The society will exhibit works by members and exhibitors ranging over the hundred years of its existence. The tracing of works of importance by some of the past exhibitors presents many difficulties, and the society would be glad to hear of owners (preferably in or near London, on account of the difficulty of transport) who would be willing to lend examples by the following artists: F. H. Potter, Henry Dawson, W. J. Muller, J. Glover, George Hunter, Kate Greenaway, D. Roberts, "Edinburgh Castle From the Grass Market" (exhibited 1882), R. B. Davis' "Coronation Procession of H. M. King William IV" (exhibited 1882).—London Observer.

Require Much Grass Seed.

It is estimated that golf clubs will use 2,000,000 pounds of grass seed this year for seeding the 2,500 links in use and for planting the approximately 200 new courses. The old courses, comprising some 200,000 acres, use an average of 400 pounds a year, while the new require 5,000 pounds for the first sowing. Most of the seed used for fairways is blue grass and red top, while on the velvet putting grounds the bent variety finds favor. It is said that the outlay of golfers for grass seed is about \$1,000,000 a year.

PERSONALS

Mrs. George Winslow of York street is spending the week in New York city.

Irving Shaw of Burnham road, has returned from a business trip in the south.

Mrs. Fred Blanchard of Carisbrook street, is recovering from her recent illness.

Stanley Livingston of North Main street, is on an extended business trip in the West.

Stuart Sutherland is back at work in the Engineer's office after an absence of a few months.

Miss Jane Ritchie of Lawrence is spending this week with Miss Roberta Todd of Sutherland street.

Mrs. George Murray of Balmoral street, is enjoying a respite from her duties at the Shawsheen Market.

Mrs. H. W. Winslow of Norwood, is spending the week with her son, George R. Winslow of York street.

Mr. and Mrs. Moses Pendleton of Kensington street motored to New London, Connecticut for the week-end.

Miss Katherine and Mary Carlon, formerly of the Brush Shop office, visited in Shawsheen Village, Wednesday.

Misses Doris and Irma Coudidge of Haverhill street spent the week-end at the guests of Miss Virginia Rolf of Arlington Heights.

Winslow Dunnells, a student at the Massachusetts Agricultural School, is enjoying a vacation at his home on Dumbarton street.

F. A. Baldwin, employed in the Boston office of the American Woolen company, has taken up his residence at 13 Carisbrook street.

The Kinnard family, who have been living with Mr. and Mrs. Ignatius McNulty of York street, have moved to 61 Haverhill street.

Charles Ide of North Main street has recently purchased a home in Waban and will remove from the Village within a few weeks.

Frank Wray, employed in the engineering department of the American Woolen company, is occupying the house at 16 Carisbrook street.

Frederick G. Sherman, assistant clerk in the Boston office of the American Woolen company has moved into the house at 9 William street.

Announcement is made of the coming marriage of Miss Elizabeth Frederickson of Haverhill street, and Edward Lawson of Wolcott avenue.

Mrs. Blades and Albert Blades, formerly of Milton street, Lawrence, have taken up their residence with Mr. and Mrs. P. B. Blades of Burnham road.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Hazard of Salamanca, N. Y., have been visiting Mrs. Hazard's sister, Mrs. Sydney Paine of William street. Mr. and Mrs. Hazard's son is a student in Phillips academy.

Miss Elizabeth Barren has been transferred from the office of the Shawsheen restaurant to the Homestead Association office in the Postoffice building and Miss Helen Webster of Lawrence has taken Miss Barren's place at the restaurant office.

Miss Miriam H. Patten of 20 Riverina road, Shawsheen Village, entertained the Ecce Singum Sorority of the Maiden High school, at her home on Wednesday evening. The matrons were Miss Anna Byer and Miss Fannie I. Rustin, instructors in the Maiden High school. Refreshments were served and a very pleasant evening enjoyed by the twenty-three members present.

LAND YET TO BE EXPLORED

Brazil Has More Wholly Unknown Territory Than Has the Entire African Continent.

Just as the most remarkable development of the Nineteenth century took place in North America, so the most wonderful developments of the Twentieth century are destined to take place in Latin America, Samuel G. Inman writes in Current History. Here is room for the overworked populations of the world; here is power to produce the food and raw products for the world; here is a great market place for the manufactured goods of the world, and finally in these countries is found one of the most remarkable circles of intellectual leaders in all civilization.

Beginning at the Rio Grande and stretching on down through Mexico, over Central America, beyond Panama, through Colombia and Venezuela, the Andean countries, Brazil, Chile, down through the bounding plains of Argentina to the Straits of Magellan, is the largest expanse of undeveloped fertile land in the whole world. There is more undiscovered territory in Brazil than there is in the whole continent of Africa. One state in that mighty republic equals the area of Great Britain, France, Germany, Austria and Switzerland. If Argentina were as densely populated as is the state of New York—and it is far more capable of caring for a dense population—it would have 225,000,000 instead of its present population of 9,000,000. Venezuela is not considered one of the largest republics, but it has three times more territory than Japan, while Japan has a population equal to that of all South America. Arguments might have been made in the old days against the dense population of some of these lands because they are tropical, but modern science has overcome the difficulties of the tropics for men. The island of Santo Domingo is said to be more capable of sustaining a dense population than any other similar-sized territory in the world. Now that the United States is severely restricting immigration, the overcrowded populations of the Orient and of Europe will very rapidly turn to the great fertile fields and friendly climates of these Latin-American countries.

KILLED BY AUTOMOBILE

Well Known Figure in Scottish Circles Dies of Injuries Received in Lawrence Last Saturday

The final chapter in the life of a respected resident of Shawsheen Village was written shortly before midnight Saturday when Alexander Noble, past chief of Clan McPherson, 80, O. S. C., was struck and knocked down by a machine at South Union and Dorchester streets, Lawrence. The machine was owned and operated by John McCarthy of 24 Sargent street, who was proceeding in a northerly direction at the time. Mr. Noble was rushed to the Lawrence General hospital in the Central Fire station ambulance where on examination it was found that his skull was fractured. Death came as a relief to his agony early Sunday morning. Dr. Victor A. Reed, medical examiner, pronounced death due to a fractured skull.

Mr. Noble was born in Pennacook, Scotland, a village in the vicinity of Edinburgh, about 54 years ago, and came to Lawrence as a lad of 17. He was a painter by trade, being employed in the Washington mills at the time of his death. He was formerly employed in the Boston & Maine railroad paint shop. In 1916, although over age, he enlisted in the McLean Kilties, giving his age as 35 years. He fought in many of the major engagements conducted by the British armies in France and Flanders, among them being the defense of Ypres against the last onslaught of the Germans. He was affiliated with United Brothers lodge, 122, I. O. O. F., Clan McPherson, 80, O. S. C., and a member of the United Presbyterian church. He was prominent in all activities of Lawrence command, 3, British War Veterans, during the past winter.

He leaves his wife, Charlotte, president of the Ladies auxiliary to Clan McPherson; two sons, Robert and Glenn; a daughter, Elizabeth, and one brother, William Noble of Lawrence.

The funeral was held from the late home 409 North Main street, Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Rev. George Lombard of the South Congregational church officiated. Interment was in Bellevue cemetery, Lawrence.

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